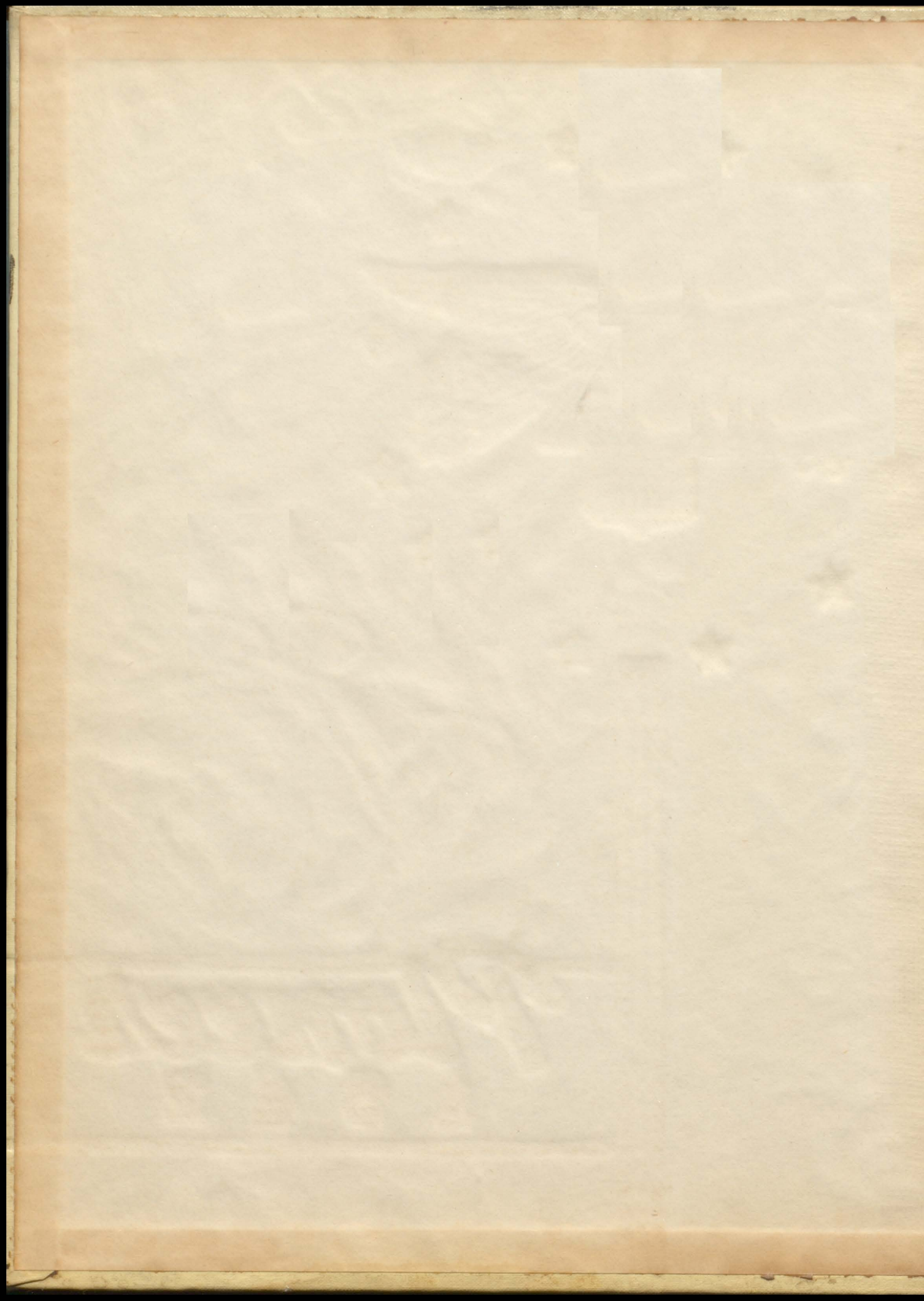
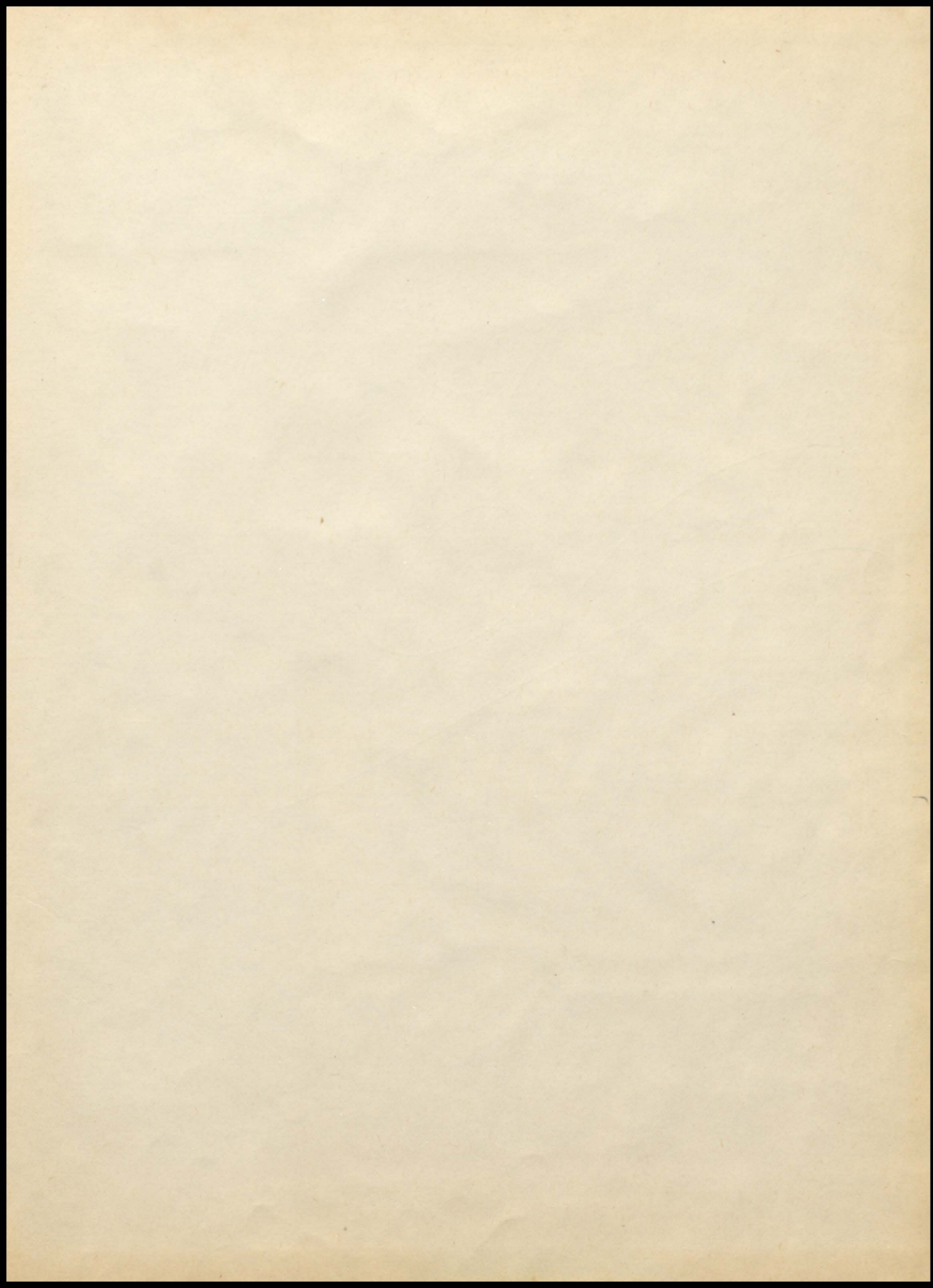




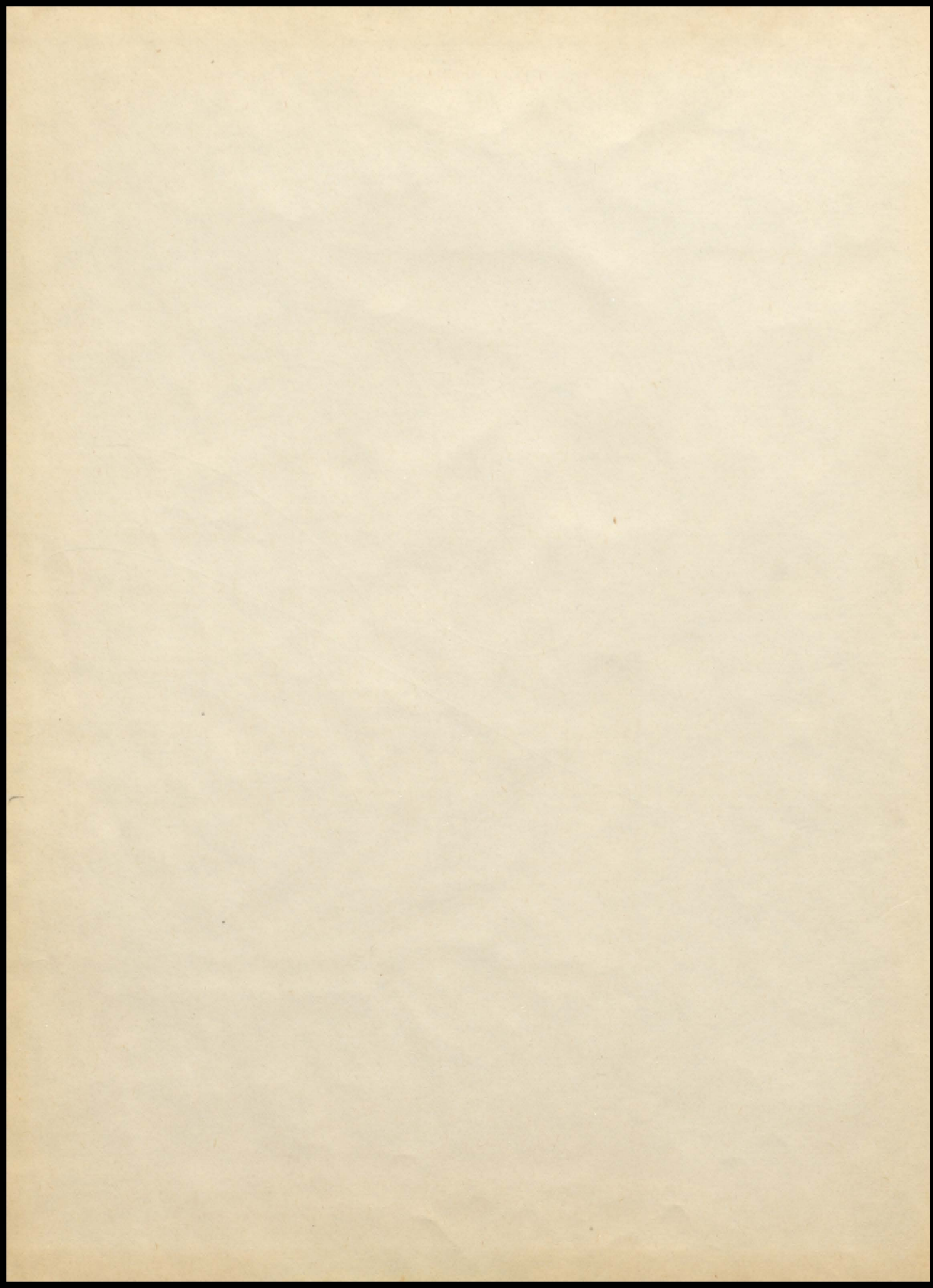
*Pioneer*  
1942



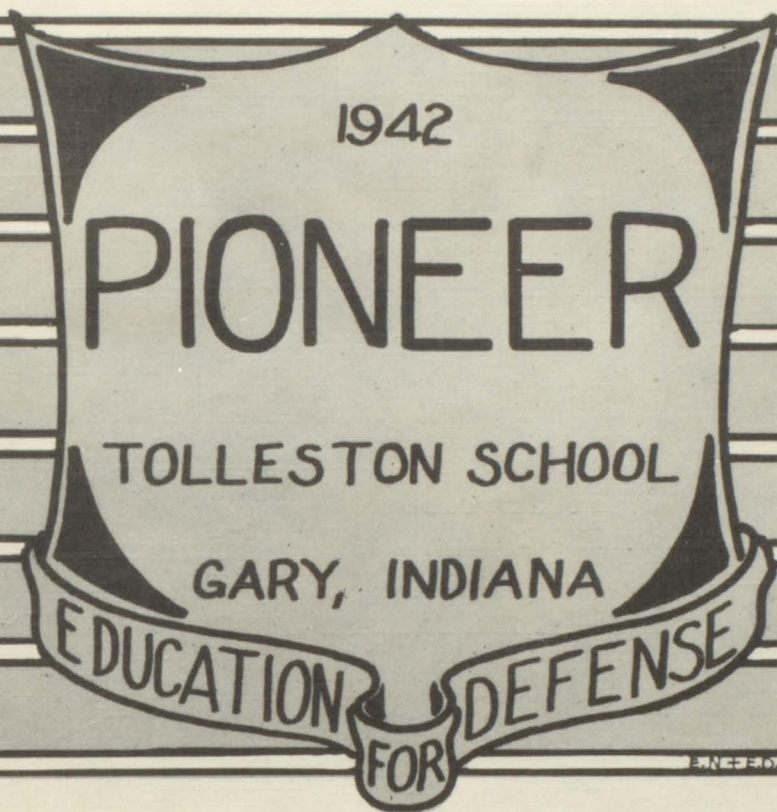












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## We, The People Of The United States

*We, the people of the United States,  
Are united every one;  
It seems to the world that Freedom's light  
Is setting like the sun.*

*The light is dim at eventide,  
And night holds back the day;  
When the dawn of peace comes shining through,  
We shall see the American Way.*

*Democracy is marching forth  
Where Tyranny's army awaits;  
O, God of Love! O, Prince of Peace!  
Be with the United States.*

— MARY JANE FISHER,  
Salutatorian



# We, The People

—ESTABLISH JUSTICE,—

—INSURE

—IN ORDER TO FORM A MORE PERFECT UNION,—



HISTORY CLASS



STUDENT COUNCIL



—PROMOTE THE GENERAL WELFARE,—

—AND SECURE THE BLESSINGS  
OF LIBERTY TO OURSELVES  
AND OUR POSTERITY,—



ADVISORY COUNCIL



AMERICAN LEGION AWARDS

"The first and great object with you at the present is to acquire by industry and application, such knowledge as will be useful to you in life."

—GEORGE WASHINGTON



# Of Tolleston School

DOMESTIC TRANQUILITY,—

—PROVIDE FOR THE COMMON DEFENSE,—



JUNIOR LIBRARY



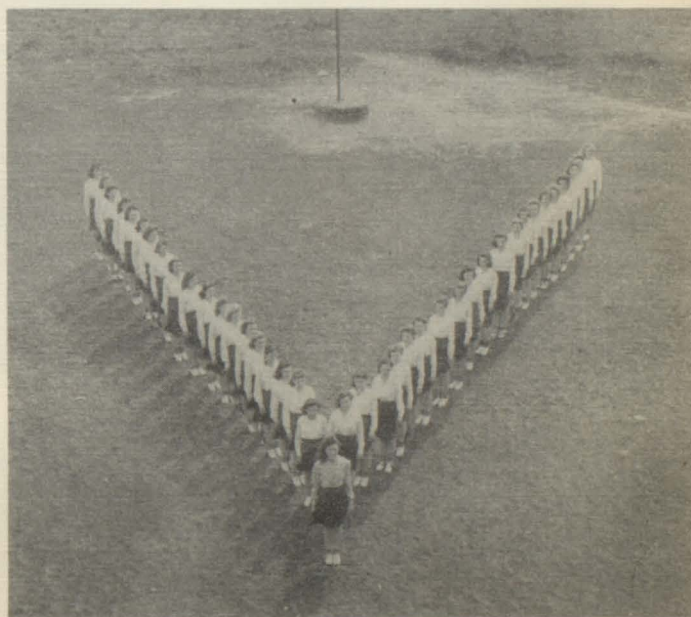
R. O. T. C.

—DO ORDAIN AND ESTABLISH  
THIS VOLUME, THE 1942 PIONEER,  
TO PORTRAY THE TRUE SPIRIT OF  
DEMOCRACY WHICH EXISTS IN  
TOLLESTON SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY—

—AND THE FIRM RESOLVE TO  
PRESERVE OUR INALIENABLE  
RIGHTS TO LIFE, LIBERTY, AND  
THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS.



"GOD BLESS AMERICA,  
MY HOME SWEET HOME."



MARCHING UNIT

"Education is more indispensable, and must be more general, under a free government than any other."  
—JOHN ADAMS



## Booster Club



CHEER LEADERS  
Florence and Laura Einikis



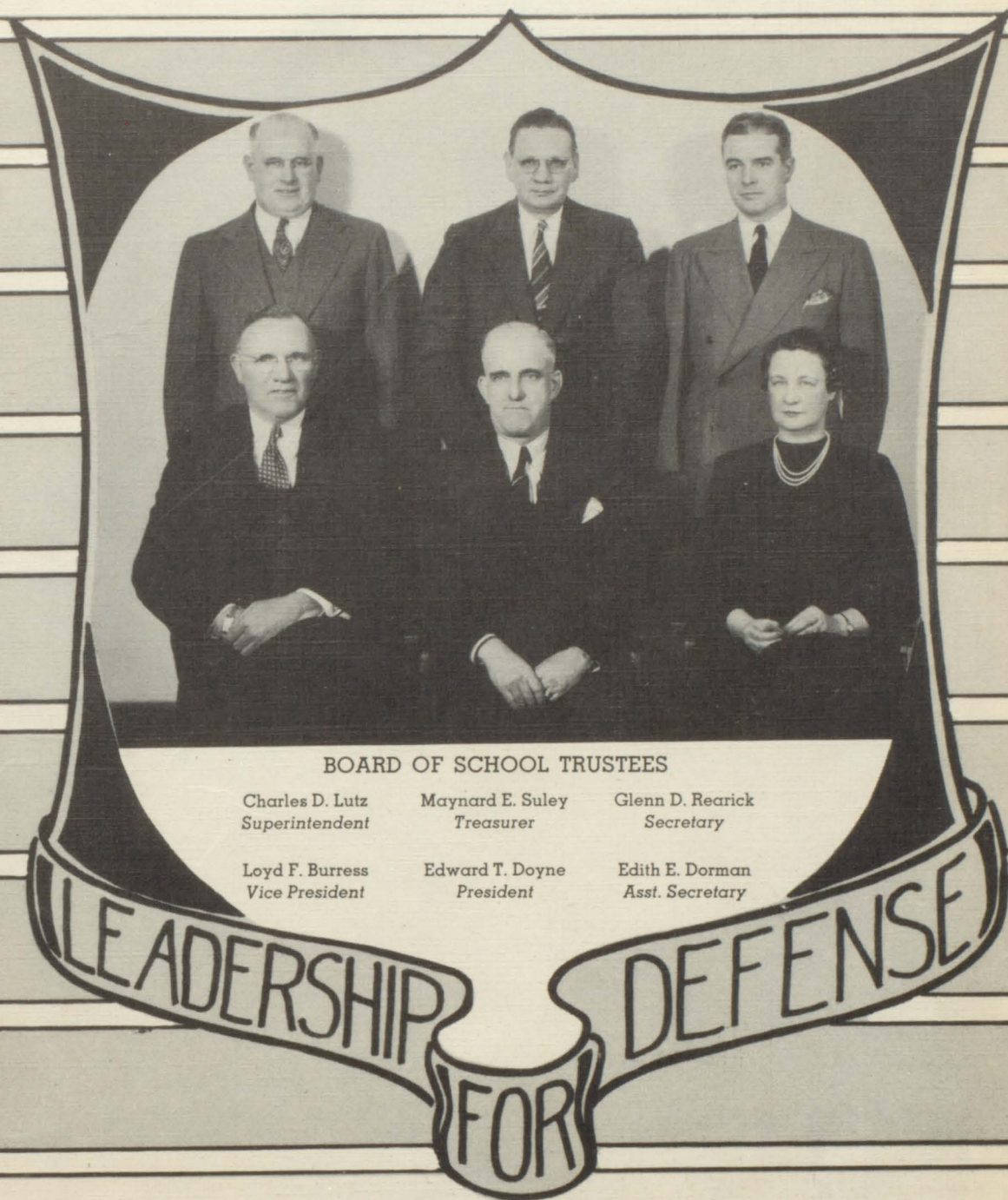
MRS. JOHNSTON, Sponsor  
RUTH KRAL, President  
CATHERINE LEE, Vice President  
ROBERT REED, Secretary-Treasurer  
PATSY KELLY, Social Chairman



"Above all things, I hope the education of the common people will be attended to."

—THOMAS JEFFERSON





BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Charles D. Lutz  
Superintendent

Maynard E. Suley  
Treasurer

Glenn D. Rearick  
Secretary

Loyd F. Burress  
Vice President

Edward T. Doyne  
President

Edith E. Dorman  
Asst. Secretary

LEADERSHIP

FOR

DEFENSE



We congratulate Mr. Lutz for his success as superintendent of our schools, and we are proud that our 1942 graduates will be the first to receive diplomas from him.



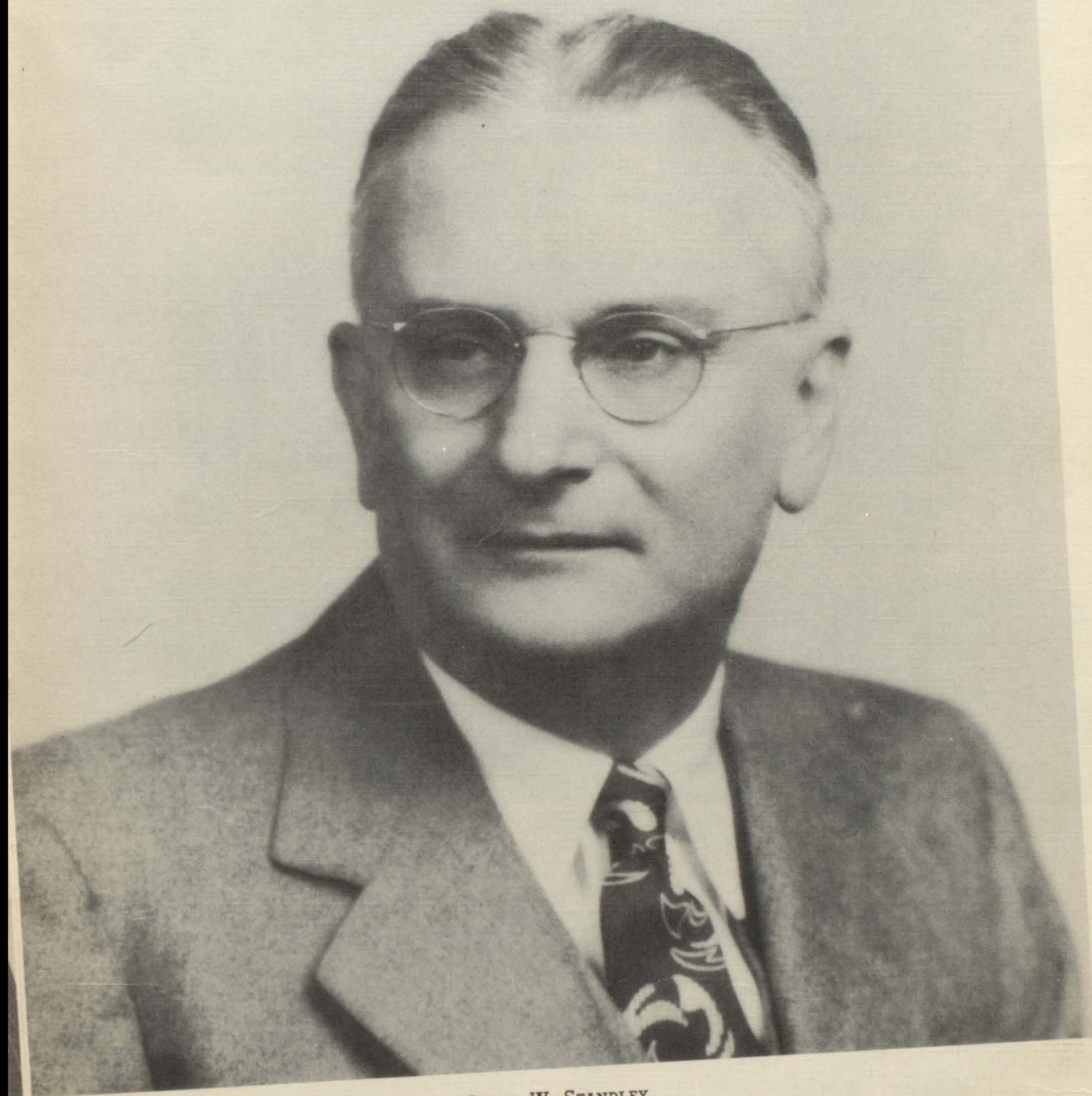
CHARLES A. LUTZ  
Superintendent of the Gary Public Schools

"Knowledge must forever govern ignorance; and a people who mean to be their own governors must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives."

—JAMES MADISON



Tolleston School realized an able leader in Mr. Standley; and as the years go by,  
we appreciate more and more how much of himself he is giving us.



JAMES W. STANDLEY  
Principal of Tolleston School

"If it was wise, manly, and patriotic in us to establish a free Government, it is  
equally incumbent on us to attend to the necessary means of its preservation."

—JAMES MONROE



# Faculty



Virginia Comeford  
Chemistry  
Mathematics



Edmon Goforth  
Mathematics  
Safety Education



Hobart D. Hufford  
Mathematics



Olive E. Waggoner  
Mathematics



Edith Wallace  
Biology



Mildred Johnston  
History  
Community Living



George Crane  
Civics  
Economics



Anna Marsh  
U. S. History  
Community Living



Catherine Reddinger  
History



Frances Bowles  
English



Virginia Brown  
English



Opal D. French  
English



Mildred Gilpin  
English  
Latin



Lela Plant  
English  
Guidance



Elsie E. Wendt  
English  
Spanish



Mary A. Hatala  
Business Education  
Mathematics



Vivian D. Johnson  
Business Education



Ruth Coblentz  
Senior Library



Blanche E. Janecsek  
Junior Library

"Perhaps the very first instrument for the improvement of the condition of men is knowledge."

—JOHN QUINCY ADAMS



# Faculty



Ivalee Mooney  
Speech

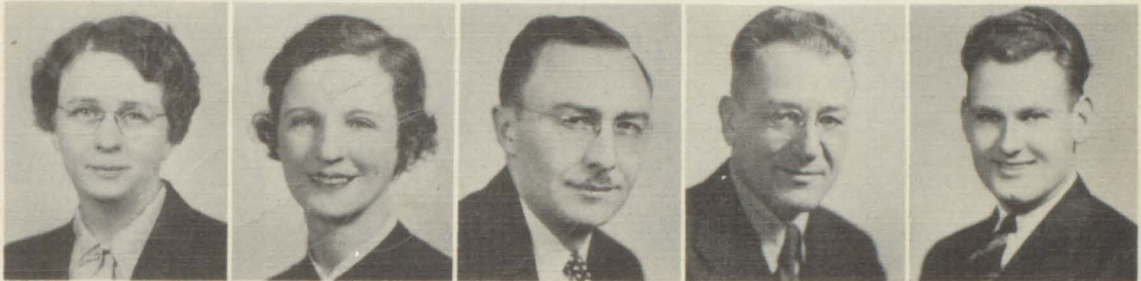
Evelyn Allan Jones  
Auditorium

Ellen Covington  
Auditorium  
Training

Violet Viant  
Music

Edwin L. Schroeder  
Band  
Orchestra

Opal Cathryn Coble  
Art



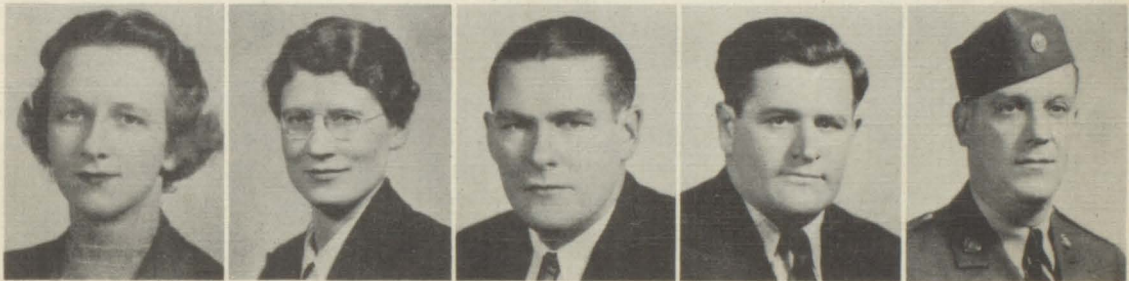
Marion R. Allis  
Clothing

Philomena D. Beck  
Home Economics

C. A. Bunker  
Drafting

Earl H. Flick  
General Metal  
Shop

William Eo Hayes  
Wood Shop



Marcia Owings  
Physical Education

Adeline Golkowski  
Nurse

Edmund J. Devitt  
Physical Education  
Safety Education

Vincent T. McGrath  
Physical Education

Sergeant John C. Haas  
R. O. T. C.



Wanda Nawrot

Dorothy Gaski

Bessie Kratkoczki

"I know the value of real education."

—ANDREW JACKSON



# Students Directed The School During Education Week

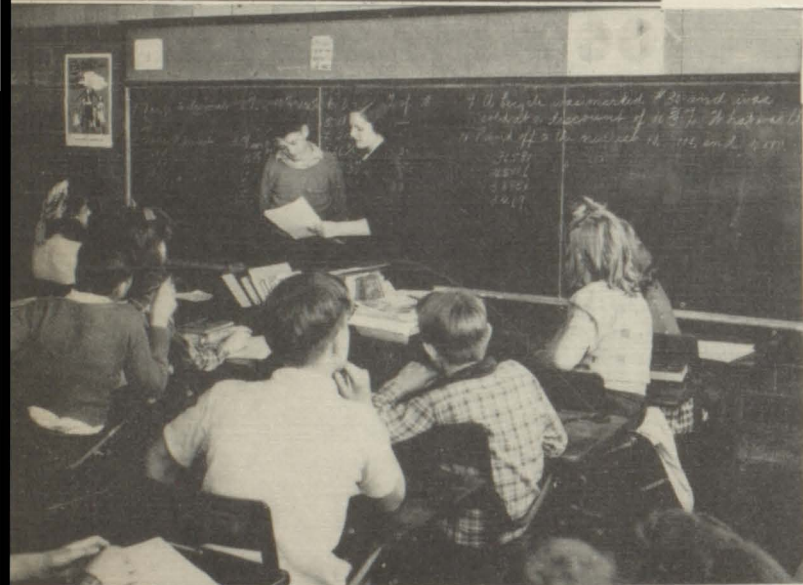


During one day of Education Week, students were in complete charge of the school.

The student administrators were very successful. Nick McDonald, principal for the day, had three office clerks and forty-six teachers. They managed the school and taught the classes in a highly professional way. They had excellent co-operation from

their students, and everyone gained much from this opportunity to get another point of view from actual experience.

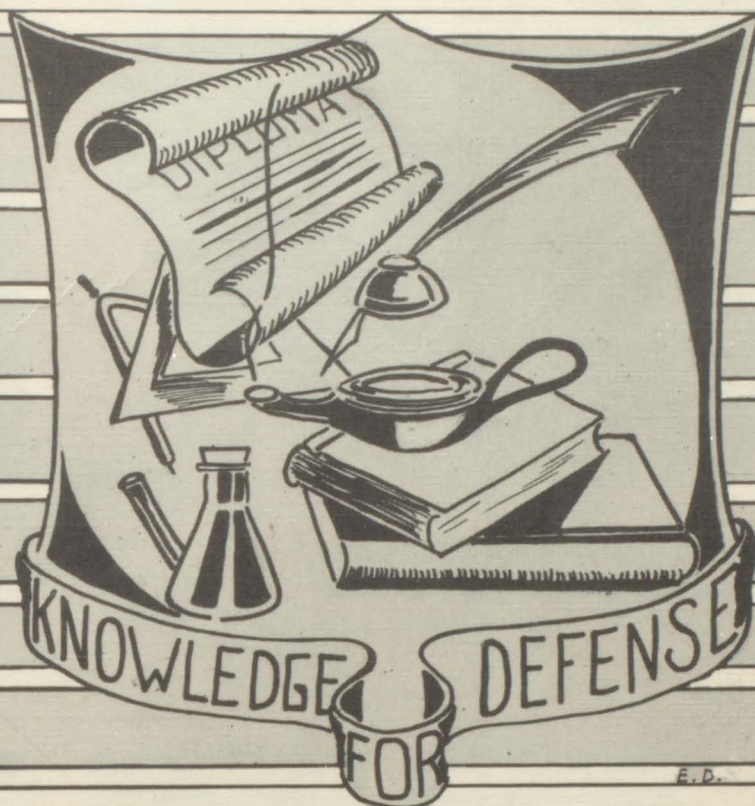
Thirty-five other high school students participated in civic activities during the week. Reports from all activities during Education Week are on file and will be placed in our library.



"The liberal endowments, granted to our scientific and literary institutions, have added much to the character of the state."

—MARTIN VAN BUREN



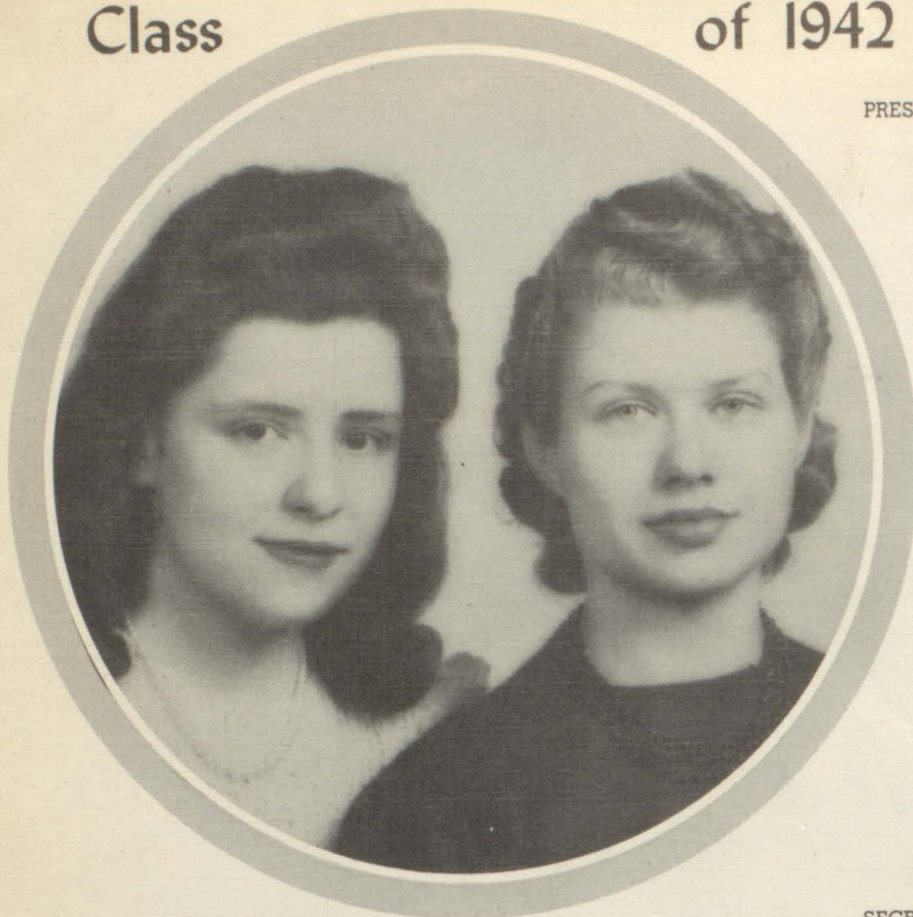


E.D.



# Class

# of 1942



SALUTATORIAN AND VALEDICTORIAN  
Mary Jane Fisher                      Louise Bruse

PRESIDENT



PAUL WALLACE  
*erudite*  
Pioneer Staff, Senior Editor  
R.O.T.C., Lieut. Colonel  
Football  
Dramatic Club  
Spanish Club  
Concert Band  
Hi-Y

SECRETARY



GLORIA SIMI  
*incomparable*  
G.A.A., President  
Booster Club  
Latin Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Social Club  
Health Club



HELEN AMMON  
*compatible*  
Concert Band  
Creative Writing Club  
Latin Club



PATRICIA ANDREWS  
*indelatigable*  
G.A.A.  
Social Club  
Education Week  
Senior Committee  
Hy-Style Club



VERA ATKOSH  
*artistic*  
Art Club



EDMUND BARAN  
*muscular*  
Hi-Y, President  
Football  
Basketball  
Track  
Social Club  
Senior Committee

"It was a great interest of the Government to diffuse amongst its citizens the means of obtaining that general intelligence which teaches men to appreciate the liberty and privileges they enjoy and prompts them to endure danger and death in their defense."

—WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON



# Class

# of 1942



VICE PRESIDENT

GEORGE LESHK

*resolute*

Football  
Baseball  
R.O.T.C., Major  
Spanish Club  
Concert Band  
Senior Committee  
Hi-Y



TREASURER

RICHARD WOODS

*complacent*

Social Club  
Booster Club  
Latin Club  
Hi-Y  
R.O.T.C.  
Mixed Choir



## SENIOR SPONSORS

Miss Marsh, Chairman

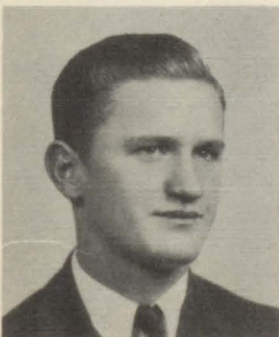
Mrs. Johnston

Mrs. Gilpin

Mr. Hufford

Mr. Crane

Mr. Bunker



JOHN BARAN

*upstanding*



GEORGE BERTA

*commendable*



LORRAINE BIROS

*neat*

G.A.A.  
Social Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Health Club  
Education Week



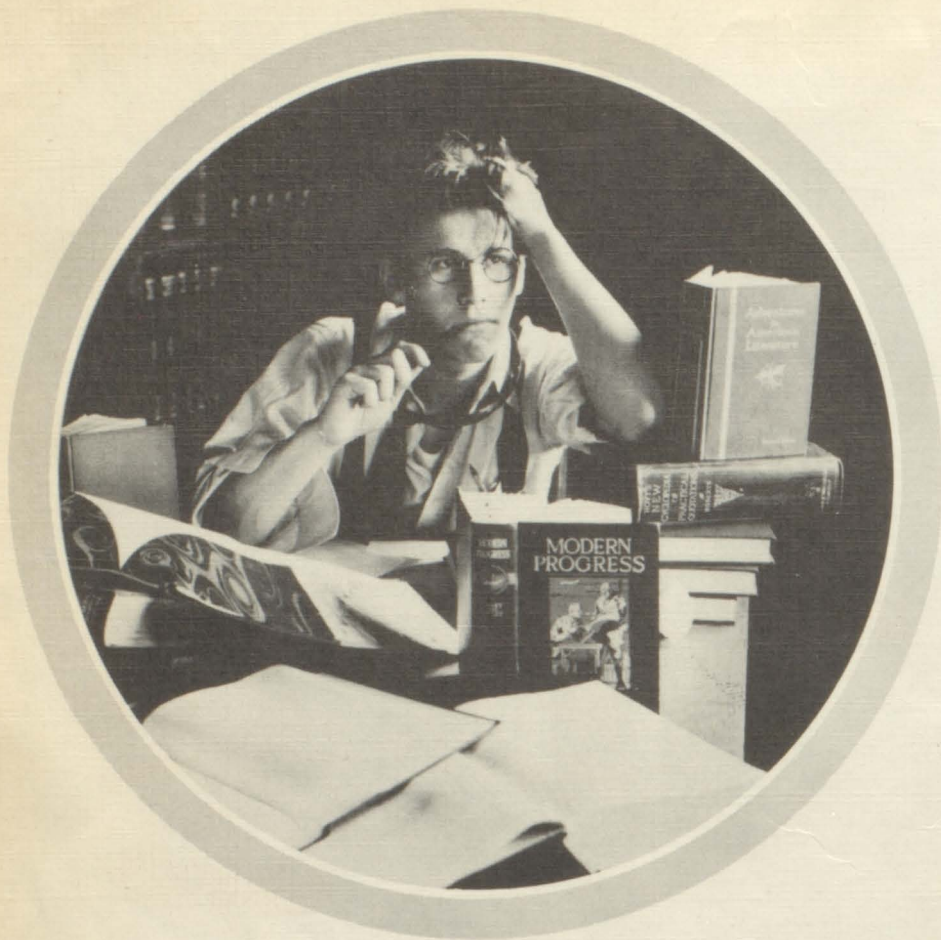
DOROTHY BOLTICH

*brisk*

G.A.A.  
Booster Club

"Of the most manifest importance is the organization of a system for the diffusion of general instruction among the great mass of the people." —JOHN TYLER





"These are times that try men's souls."

—THOMAS PAINE



DOROTHY BRKOVICH

*tranquil*

Pioneer Staff  
Hy-Style Club  
Booster Club  
Camera Club  
Health Club  
Social Club



MILDRED CAREW

*delightful*

G.A.A.  
Creative Writing Club  
Art Club  
Social Club



WILBUR DOEGE

*practical*

German Club  
R.O.T.C.  
Hi-Y



JULIA DOLASINSKI

*reserved*

Social Club



MARGARET DRANCHAK

*thoughtful*

G.A.A.  
Pioneer Staff  
Hy-Style Club



LILYAN DYGUS

*cordial*

G.A.A.  
Hy-Style Club  
Education Week  
Health Club  
Social Club

"No people who are not enlightened can long remain free."

—JAMES POLK





LEONORA BROWER

*pleasant*

German Club  
Social Club  
G.A.A.  
Concert Band  
Health Club



LOUISE BRUSE

*omniscient*

Latin Club  
Dramatic Club  
Tolly-Times, Co-editor  
Gary Post Tribune News  
Staff  
G.A.A.  
Booster Club  
Senior Committee



HELEN BUKUR

*vigorous*

Home Economics Club  
Art Club  
G.A.A.



HAROLD BUTZ

*towering*

R.O.T.C., First Lieut.  
Concert Band  
German Club  
Dramatic Club  
Social Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
"Forest Prince"



WANDA CIVILINSKI

*reliant*

Creative Writing Club  
Hy-Style Club, Treas.  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



MARGARET CORNELL

*competent*

Latin Club  
Dramatic Club  
Booster Club  
Tolly-Times, Co-editor  
Education Week



EUGENE DALZOTTO

*superfine*

Pioneer Staff, Co-editor  
Student Council, Vice Pres.  
Dramatic Club, Treas.  
Booster Club  
Senior Committee  
Convention Delegate



IRIS MAE DIPERT

*careful*

Social Club  
Concert Band  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Senior Committee.



HELEN ERKEKEDIS

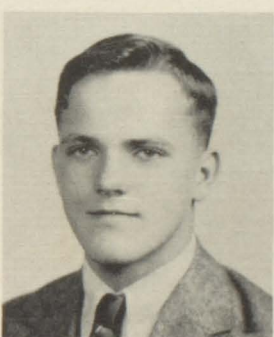
*efficient*

Pioneer Staff, Bus. Mgr.  
Hy-Style Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Mixed Choir  
Education Week  
H. A. G.  
"Forest Prince"



JOSEPH EXL

*ecstatic*



DENTON FALK

*soldierly*

R.O.T.C.  
Social Club



FRANCES FALK

*diligent*

Camera Club  
Home Economics Club  
Hy-Style Club





GEORGENE FALK  
*quiet*  
Camera Club  
Social Club



JOHN FEDORCHAK  
*precise*  
R.O.T.C.  
Rifle Team  
Basketball



MILDRED FIFE  
*vulnerable*  
Home Economics Club  
Art Club  
Pioneer Staff



MARY LOUISE FILLINGIM  
*shy*  
G.A.A.



JAMES FRAME  
*infallible*  
R.O.T.C., First Lieut.



MARILYN FREISS  
*amiable*  
Social Club  
Home Economics Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Camera Club, Pres.  
Health Club



JOHN GASTEL  
*handsome*  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Hi-Y  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club  
Camera Club



NORA GLENNON  
*calm*  
Social Club  
Camera Club



PAUL GUIST  
*undaunted*  
Basketball  
Baseball  
Track  
Social Club



PAUL HALASCHAK  
*valorous*  
Football, Captain  
Basketball  
Track  
Spanish Club  
Social Club



HELEN HALLMAN  
*sincere*  
German Club  
Social Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week  
Home Economics Club



GEORGE HENKE  
*trustworthy*  
Social Club  
Camera Club  
Concert Band

"The history of the world has established the truth of the position that there is no other effectual method of imparting education to all but by means of public schools."

—JAMES BUCHANAN





SHIRLEY FINNERTY

*auspicious*

Concert Band  
Hy-Style Club  
G.A.A.  
Senior Committee  
Social Club



MARY JANE FISHER

*exceptional*

Dramatic Club, Sec.  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
G.A.A.  
Health Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Pioneer Staff,  
Editorial Editor



NORMAN FISHER

*efficacious*

Concert Band  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
Dramatic Club  
R.O.T.C., First Lieut.  
Senior Committee



KENNETH FLAHERTY

*mirthful*

R.O.T.C., First Lieut.  
Social Club  
Baseball



PAUL GUBA

*friendly*

Student Council  
Hi-Y  
Basketball



MAMIE HERMA

*mild*

G.A.A.  
Health Club  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
Hy-Style Club



Seniors in Silhouette

"In one word, free labor insists on universal education."

—ABRAHAM LINCOLN





HARLEIGH HOLODICK  
*vociferous*



FRANK HRAPCHAK  
*sensible*  
Baseball  
Football



JOSEPH HUDAK  
*capable*  
Hi-Y  
R.O.T.C.  
Senior Committee



VIRGINIA HURYSZ  
*tactful*  
Social Club  
Hy-Style Club, Pres.  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



BETTY JAKUBIK  
*scholastic*  
Latin Club  
G.A.A.  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Education Week



SOPHIE JURCIK  
*endeavoring*  
Home Economics Club



DOROTHY KELLEMAN  
*attractive*  
Hy-Style Club



PATSY KELLY  
*rapturous*  
Dramatic Club, Pres.  
Booster Club  
Health Club  
G.A.A.  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Senior Committee  
Mixed Choir



ANGELINE KNEZEVICH  
*gracious*  
Cheer Leader  
Concert Band  
Pioneer Staff  
G.A.A.  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Tolly-Times Staff



SAUL KOKOTOVICH  
*shrewd*  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club



DOROTHY KOLLEY  
*punctual*  
G.A.A.  
Camera Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Health Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Social Club



MARY KOSLOW  
*attentive*  
Camera Club

"Upon the increase and diffusion of education among the great mass of people, and the elevation of labor, depends, to a very great extent, the perpetuity of our free institutions."

—ANDREW JOHNSON





MARIE HUTCHINS  
*charming*  
Social Club



MIKE KLICH  
*contented*  
Concert Band  
Hi-Y  
R.O.T.C.



Accuracy and Speed



MARY KOTULOCK  
*determined*  
Social Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Pioneer Staff



GEORGE KOULOUTPANIS  
*tactical*  
Social Club  
Hi-Y  
Camera Club  
Booster Club  
R.O.T.C., First Lieut.



ANN KOWAL  
*tolerant*  
Hy-Style Club



RUTH KRAL  
*sociable*  
Booster Club, Pres.  
Pioneer Staff  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Concert Band  
G.A.A.  
Senior Committee  
Latin Club

"In a republic like ours, it is important that the sovereign—the people—should possess intelligence."

—ULYSSES S. GRANT





EDMUND KUCSON  
*humorous*  
German Club  
R.O.T.C.



NICK KUSAK  
*salubrious*  
Football  
Basketball  
Senior Committee  
Track  
Hi-Y



RITA LATKOWSKI  
*dignified*  
Hy-Style Club  
Camera Club  
Creative Writing Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



GEORGE LEDERER  
*creditabile*  
Basketball, Manager  
Hi-Y  
"Forest Prince"



Versatility



MARY ELLEN McNARY  
*active*  
G.A.A., Vice Pres.  
Latin Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Booster Club  
Health Club  
Education Week  
Camera Club



WILLIAM MYERS  
*electrodynamic*  
Concert Band

"Wherever general education is found, peace, virtue, and social order prevail;  
and civil and religious liberty are secure."

—RUTHERFORD B. HAYES





CATHERINE LEE  
*delectable*

Student Council, Pres.  
Booster Club, Vice Pres.  
Latin Club  
Social Club  
Health Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Senior Committee



HELEN LOPEKA  
*diplomatic*

Home Economics Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Hy-Style Club



NICK McDONALD  
*steady*

Hi-Y, Vice Pres.  
R.O.T.C., First Lieut.  
Football  
Track  
Pioneer Staff  
Spanish Club  
Senior Committee



MARGARET McKALY  
*excellent*

Hy-Style Club, Sec.  
Social Club  
Education Week  
Pioneer Staff



RAPHAEL MACCHIA  
*harmonious*

Concert Orchestra  
Camera Club  
Spanish Club



ANN MAGURA  
*agile*

G.A.A.  
Pioneer Staff  
Booster Club  
Cheer Leader



BETTIE MARIS  
*concise*

G.A.A.  
Social Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Health Club  
Booster Club  
Pioneer Staff



EDWARD MARTIN  
*boisterous*

R.O.T.C.  
Senior Committee  
Social Club



KATHERINE MONDROWSKI  
*energetic*

Social Club  
Home Economics Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



JEANNE MORSE  
*happy*

Spanish Club  
Pioneer Staff



MARY MOSER  
*noteworthy*

G.A.A.  
Camera Club  
Hy-Style Club, Vice Pres.  
German Club, Sec.-Treas.  
Health Club  
Education Week  
Pioneer Staff







HARRY MUSSIE

*magnetic*

Hi-Y  
Social Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Football  
Basketball  
Senior Committee



HELENE NIEZNANSKI

*paramount*

German Club  
Home Economics Club  
Camera Club  
Social Club  
Health Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Booster Club



ALEXANDER PAULIS

*reliable*

Social Club  
Track

Going home from Chicago and "Blossom Time"



CLEMENS PESCHKE

*carefree*

Football  
Pioneer Staff  
Dramatic Club  
Hi-Y  
Social Club  
Booster Club  
Senior Committee



ANDY PETYO

*optimistic*

R.O.T.C.



LILLIAN PETZNIK

*sedulous*

German Club  
Pioneer Staff

"The Government should aid the work of education."  
—CHESTER A. ARTHUR





EDWARD NAWOJSKI

*temperate*

Track  
Hi-Y  
Camera Club  
Pioneer Staff



DORIS NEDBERG

*petite*

Social Club  
G.A.A.  
Health Club  
Booster Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



MYRTLE NEWCOMB

*systematic*

G.A.A.  
Social Club  
Health Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



WILLIAM NICHOLS

*stimulating*

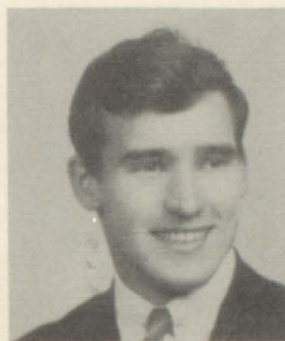
Baseball  
Football  
Basketball  
Track  
Latin Club  
Hi-Y  
Pioneer Staff



ELLYN O'BROCK

*cheerful*

Concert Band  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
Latin Club  
Education Week  
Pioneer Staff



MIKE ORESIK

*loyal*

Football  
Basketball  
Track  
Social Club  
Mixed Choir



RUDOLPH ORGAN

*jolly*

Latin Club  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club  
Camera Club



MAIDA PALINSKI

*affable*

Hy-Style Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Mixed Choir  
Health Club  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Social Club  
"Forest Prince"



IRENE PIECHOCKI

*demure*

Home Economics Club  
Health Club  
Social Club  
Camera Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Pioneer Staff



VICTORIA POREMSKI

*true*

G.A.A., Sec.  
Booster Club  
Health Club  
Social Club  
Camera Club



MICHAEL PORVAZNIK

*aero-minded*

Pioneer Staff



AGNES POWOZNIK

*enchanting*

Tolly-Times Staff  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Health Club  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
Pioneer Staff

"When you leave school, you are well equipped for the van in the army of life, or you are doomed to be a laggard, aimlessly and listlessly following in the rear."

—GROVER CLEVELAND





DALE POWERS  
*dexterous*  
R.O.T.C., Captain  
Dramatic Club  
Pioneer Staff



IRIS PRICE  
*favorable*  
Social Club  
G.A.A.  
Home Economics Club



MILDRED PRICE  
*serene*  
Latin Club  
Concert Orchestra



EDNA QULLIN  
*rident*  
Social Club  
Home Economics Club  
Health Club  
Camera Club



DOROTHY REIGERT  
*studious*  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Pioneer Staff  
Health Club  
Hy-Style Club



GEORGE REIMER  
*capable*  
Concert Band  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club  
"Forest Prince"



VICTORIA REMKUS  
*jovial*  
Concert Band  
G.A.A.  
Latin Club



EUGENE ROMANOWSKI  
*suitable*  
Baseball  
Basketball  
Pioneer Staff  
Senior Committee  
Booster Club  
Education Week



IRENE RZEPCZYNSKI  
*kind*  
G.A.A.  
Spanish Club, Sec.-Treas.  
Health Club



DOMINIC SAPONE  
*pugilistic*  
Football  
Baseball  
Basketball  
Track  
Social Club



FRED SANBORN  
*eager*  
R.O.T.C.  
Art Club



PEARL SCHMIDT  
*genial*  
G.A.A.  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Health Club  
Social Club  
Booster Club  
Education Week  
Pioneer Staff

"It is the gravest concern that those who hold the ultimate control of all public affairs shall have the necessary intelligence wisely to direct and determine them."

—BENJAMIN HARRISON





GERTRUDE RADIS  
*melodious*  
Latin Club  
Mixed Choir  
Social Club  
Concert Orchestra



DONALD RAFFERTY  
*veridical*  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
Concert Band  
Hi-Y



BERNICE RAKOWSKI  
*dependable*  
Hy-Style Club  
Social Club  
Senior Committee  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week



ROBERT REED  
*musical*  
Dramatic Club  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
R.O.T.C.  
Pianist  
Social Club  
"Forest Prince"



MARGARET ROZSA  
*regardful*  
Pioneer Staff  
Home Economics Club



VERONICA SHEPITKA  
*orderly*  
Booster Club  
Senior Committee  
Pioneer Staff  
Concert Band  
G.A.A.  
Education Week  
Latin Club



Relaxation

"An open schoolhouse, free to all, evidences the highest type of advanced civilization."

—WILLIAM MCKINLEY





HENRY SICHTERMAN  
*robust*



HELEN SLOTA  
*mirthful*  
Pioneer Staff  
G.A.A.  
Art Club  
Home Economics Club



JOSEPH SMAR  
*deliberate*



BARBARA SMELTZER  
*vivacious*  
Social Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Camera Club  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Pioneer Staff  
Health Club



CLARA SNYDER  
*neutral*  
Art Club  
Pioneer Staff



JAMES SNYDER  
*vibrating*  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club  
Booster Club  
Cheer Leader



RICHARD SPLETZER  
*industrious*  
Hi-Y  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club  
Senior Committee  
Booster Club



RAYMOND STASCO  
*heroic*  
Football  
Track  
Hi-Y  
Art Club, President  
R.O.T.C.  
Social Club  
Senior Committee



ALMA STEVENS  
*winsome*  
Social Club  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Concert Band  
German Club, Vice Pres.  
Camera Club  
Pioneer Club  
Booster Club



PEGGY STEVENS  
*prudent*  
Concert Band  
G.A.A.  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Health Club  
Social Club



EDWARD STRUDAS  
*dynamic*  
Basketball, Co-captain  
Football Manager  
Hi-Y  
Social Club  
Mixed Choir  
"Forest Prince"



ANDREW SUM  
*"Handy Andy"*  
Basketball  
Basketball  
Track  
Baseball  
Hi-Y

"The children, who are educated in our schools side by side with one another, will inevitably grow up having that sense of mutual sympathy and mutual respect and understanding which is absolutely indispensable for working out the problems that we as citizens have before us."

—THEODORE ROOSEVELT





DALE SNODGRASS

*cordial*

R.O.T.C.  
Dramatic Club  
Social Club  
Latin Club  
Hi-Y  
Pioneer Staff



JOSEPH STEFANKO

*assuasive*



Exultation



MABEL SUTER

*upright*

G.A.A.  
Health Club  
Camera Club  
Creative Writing Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Pioneer Staff



JAMES TABER

*faithful*

Latin Club  
Social Club  
Dramatic Club  
Football, Manager  
Booster Club  
Hi-Y



HULDA TAUB

*ultra*

Health Club, Chairman  
Drum Majorette  
Dramatic Club  
German Club  
Booster Club  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Senior Committee



CHARLES TESSIN

*jovial*

R.O.T.C.  
Spanish Club  
Hi-Y  
"Forest Prince"

"The great public object of education is to give the people the means by which they can become better men, better members of society, and more useful to their communities."

—WILLIAM H. TAFT





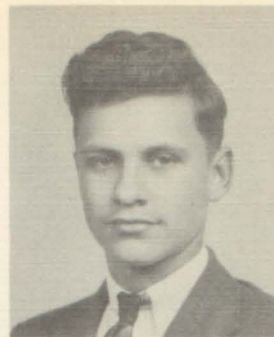
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*conversable*  
R.O.T.C.



MARY TORNAI  
*virtuous*  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Social Club  
G.A.A.  
Health Club  
Tolly-Times Staff



ANN TOTH  
*particular*  
Art Club, Vice President  
Home Economics Club  
Education Week  
Social Club  
Health Club  
G.A.A.



THOMAS TROTTER  
*sprightly*  
R.O.T.C.  
Hi-Y  
Spanish Club



GRACE WEBER  
*fanciful*  
Social Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Health Club  
Home Economics Club



BETTY LOUISE WOODS  
*prompt*  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Health Club  
G.A.A.  
Pioneer Staff  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Senior Committee

"The right of the people to be secure in  
their persons, houses, papers and effects  
... shall not be violated ..."

—THE U. S. CONSTITUTION

"We seek in our general education not universal knowledge, but the opening up  
of the mind to an appreciation of the best achievements of men and the best pro-  
cesses of thought."

—WOODROW WILSON





ANN TUHY  
*willing*  
Social Club  
Pioneer Staff  
G.A.A.  
Hy-Style Club



CECILIA VIGIL  
*vigilant*  
Camera Club  
Health Club  
G.A.A.



ADELE WARIEKA  
*bright*  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Latin Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Booster Club  
Health Club  
Dramatic Club  
Pioneer Staff



ELEANOR WEBDELL  
*intent*  
G.A.A.  
Health Club  
Social Club  
Pioneer Staff



GWENDOLYN WILLIAMSON  
*introspective*  
Home Economics Club,  
President  
Health Club  
Hy-Style Club  
Social Club



JACK WILLSEY  
*original*  
Football  
Track  
Spanish Club  
Hi-Y  
R.O.T.C.  
Senior Committee  
Dramatic Club



PAUL WINICKI  
*witty*  
Camera Club  
Social Club  
Hi-Y



ROBERT WOJKOVICH  
*"Gloria-ous"*  
Basketball, Co-captain  
Baseball  
Football  
Track  
Latin Club, President  
Student Council



GEORGE YAROS  
*nimble*  
R.O.T.C., Captain  
Basketball  
Baseball



HELEN ZAKUTANSKY  
*superlative*  
Pioneer Staff, Co-editor  
G.A.A., Athletic Council  
Tolly-Times Staff  
Booster Club  
German Club  
Health Club  
Senior Committee



LILLIAN ZARCOFF  
*aspiring*  
Cheer Leader  
Concert Band  
G.A.A.  
Latin Club  
Booster Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Senior Committee



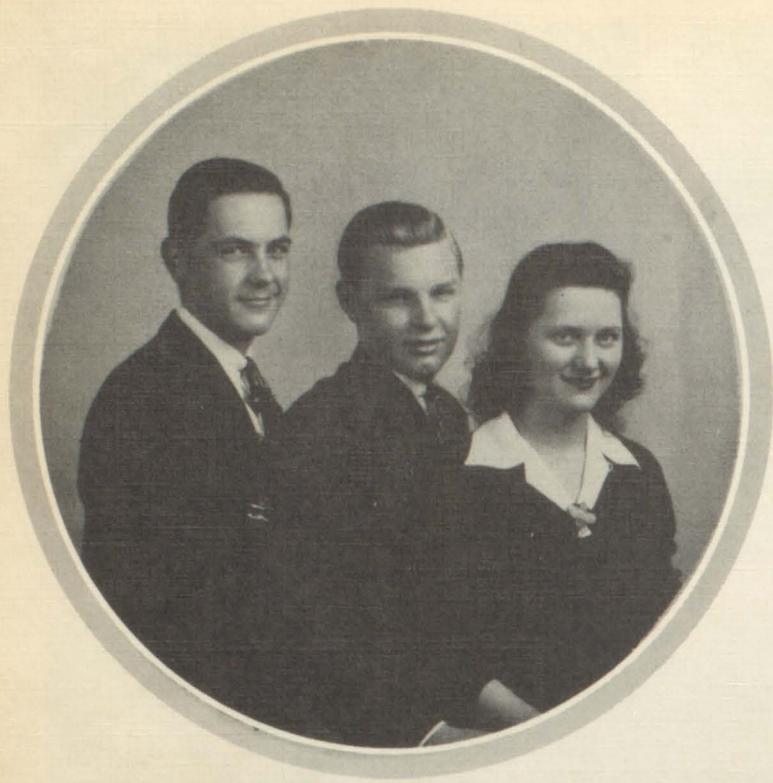
JULIA ZELENICK  
*athletic*  
G.A.A., Treasurer  
Health Club  
Home Economics Club  
Booster Club  
Camera Club  
Pioneer Staff  
Education Week

"Without vision the people perish. Without education there can be little vision."

—WARREN G. HARDING



# Juniors Class of 1943

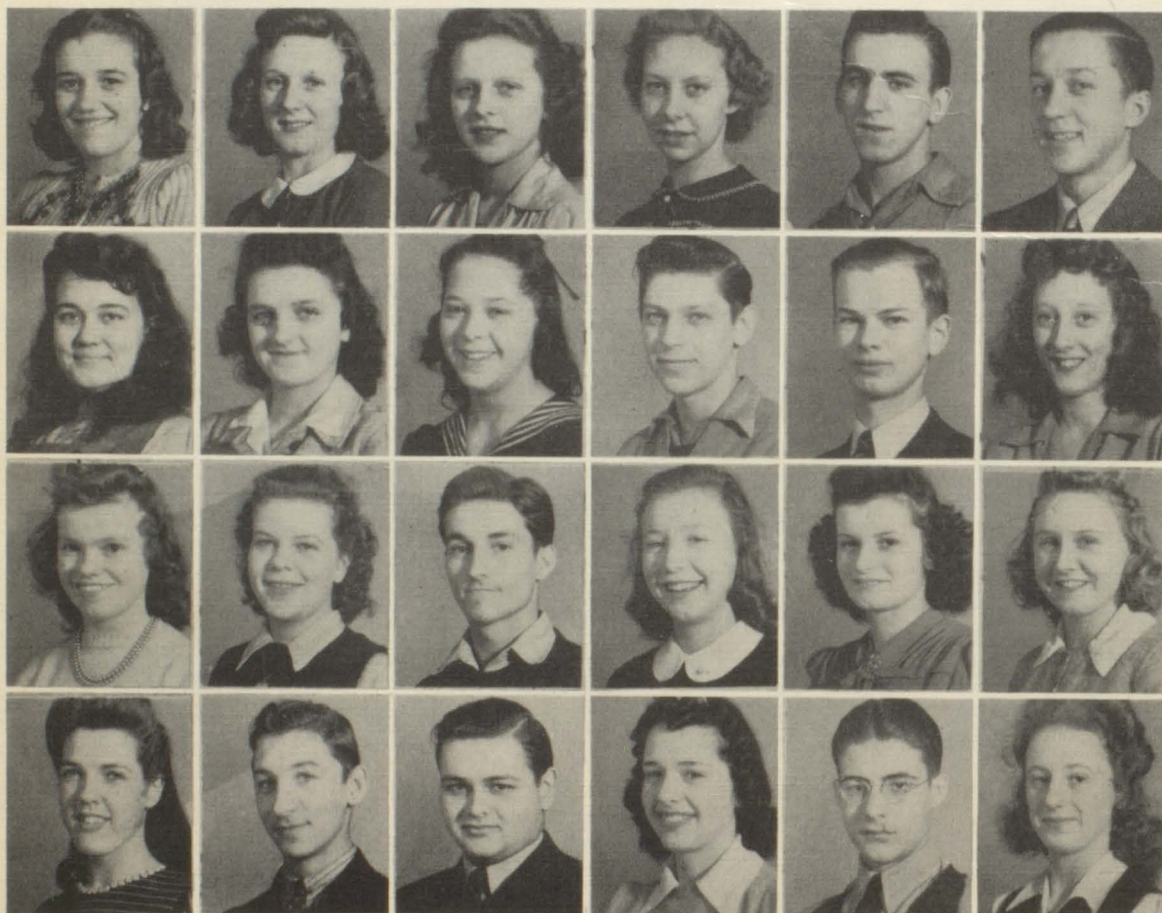


## OFFICERS

Albert Schmidt, *President*  
 Tom Reid, *Vice President*  
 Lois Whitlow, *Secretary-Treasurer*

## SPONSORS

Mr. Goforth, *Chairman*  
 Miss Hatala  
 Mrs. Wendt  
 Mr. Flick  
 Miss Waggoner  
 Mr. McGrath

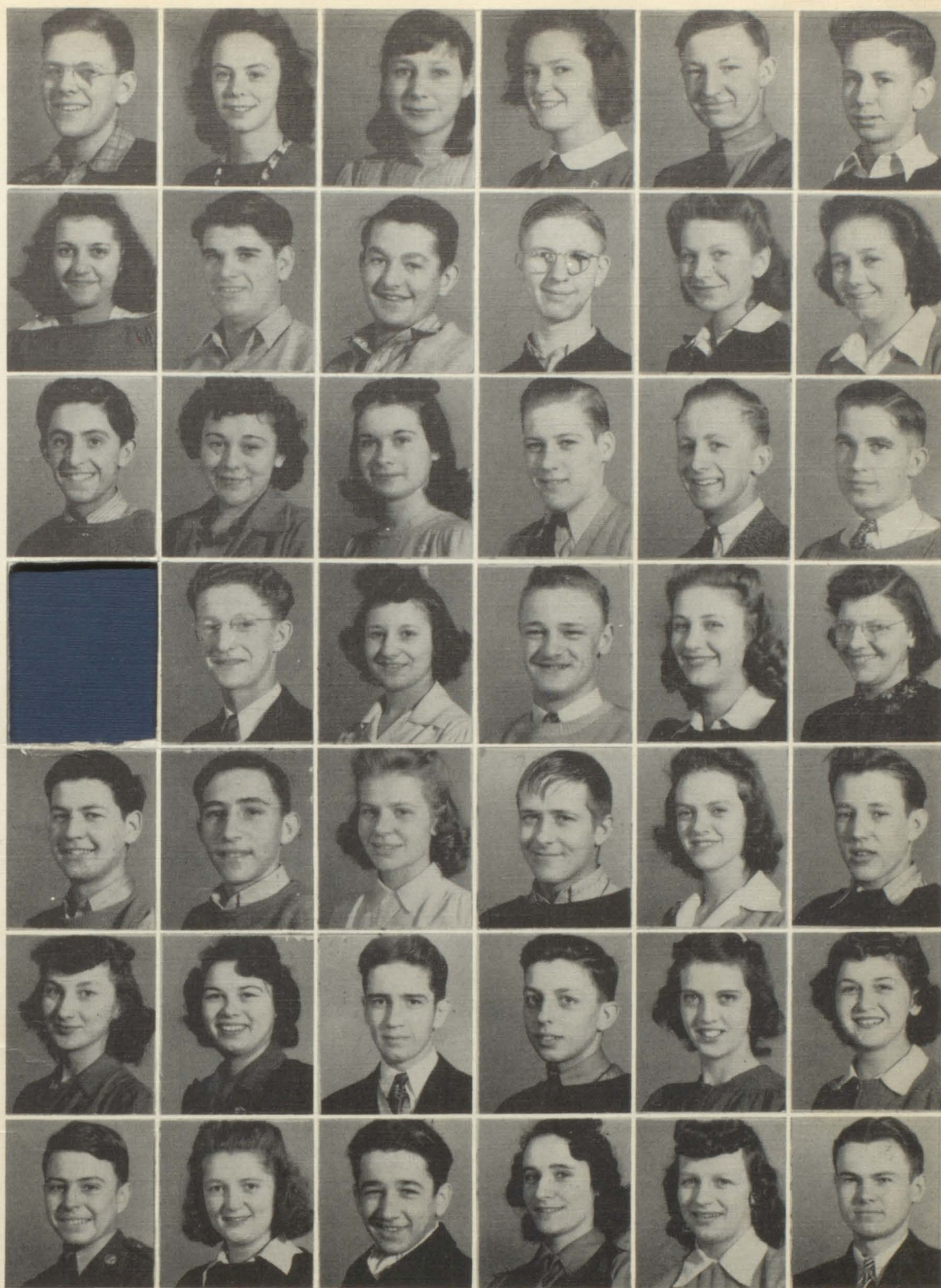


*First Row:* Thelma Alt, Helen Arras, Evelyn Babacz, Katherine Bahnsen, Stanley Balcerak, Robert Banchy.  
*Second Row:* Violet Banchy, Bernice Bartkowski, Betty Bayer, Edward Bekalarski, Sidney Benson, Esther Booher.  
*Third Row:* Mary Bozak, Florence Bucholtz, Edward Buckner, Helen Buschuk, Julia Cenko, Florence Chlopek.  
*Fourth Row:* Marjorie Coffel, Joe Cupka, Stanley Czerniak, Phyllis Deighton, Albert Diehl, Mildred Derencinovich.

"There are no pains too great, no cost too high to prevent or diminish the duty of  
 the people to maintain a vigorous program of popular education."

—CALVIN COOLIDGE



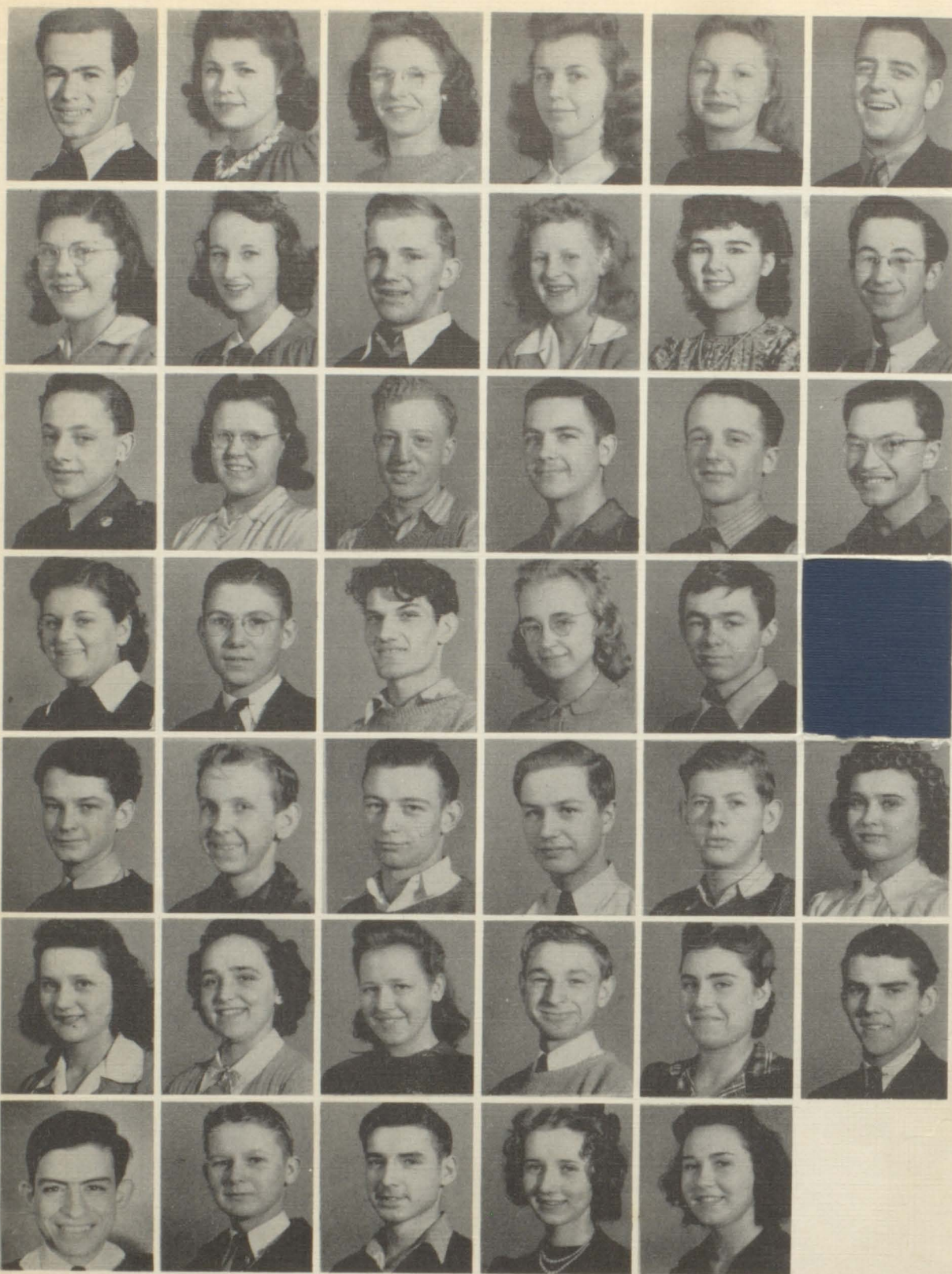


*First Row: Ross Devitt, Ann Downing, Juanita DuBois, Stella Dubowsky, Ted Dunajski, Irvin Elser.*  
*Second Row: Eleanor Fedorchak, Glenn Flaharty, Algerd Galinis, Walter Galster, Eileen Gaydos, Dorothy Gemeinhart.*  
*Third Row: Guido George, Josephine Gibavich, Patty Grider, Kenneth Griffin, Ted Grenis, Willard Hamann.*  
*Fourth Row: David Harm, Bill Holtzman, Betty Hudecek, Robert Jaeger, Dolores Jankowski, Cecelia Jasiak.*  
*Fifth Row: John Jurcik, Alex Kaminski, Mary Katana, Edward Kazlauskas, Evelyn Kirche, Albert Klochak.*  
*Sixth Row: Wanda Kmetz, Ann Knezevich, Rudy Komisarick, Robert Kuhn, Emma Langbehn, Alice Lawrosky.*  
*Seventh Row: Jack Leir, Helen Lissy, John Lorenzo, June McLachlan, Cecile Maresko, Bob McClellan.*

"To maintain the moral and spiritual fiber of our people, to hold our national  
 ideals, we must not fail in the support and constant improvement of our school system."

—HERBERT HOOVER





*First Row: Henry McNary, Ann Nagy, Dorothy Ottoson, Josephine Padol, Marie Palmer, John Pemberton.*  
*Second Row: Blanche Phillips, Mary Powoznik, Harold Reid, Alberta Remkus, Marjorie Richmond, John Rozsa.*  
*Third Row: Donald Sanborn, Bernarda Sanders, Richard Scheub, Albert Schmidt, Andy Servay, Paul Shockno.*  
*Fourth Row: Sarabelle Shotts, Frank Skala, Sam Someson, Margaret Stefanko, Don Strickland, Henry Syjut.*  
*Fifth Row: Gerald Terwilliger, Chester Tokarz, George Toth, Miles Vitkus, George Ulicni, Helen Wenski.*  
*Sixth Row: Lois Whitlow, Eleanor Wierzba, Rose Wilczynski, Lloyd Williamson, Dorothy Wolfe, Lawrence Worthington.*  
*Seventh Row: Sam Virgo, Arnold Yates, Mike Yudt, Gladys Zaloudek, Crystal Zulich.*

"Education must become truly universal; education must light the path to social change."

—FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT



# Sophomores Class of 1944

## OFFICERS

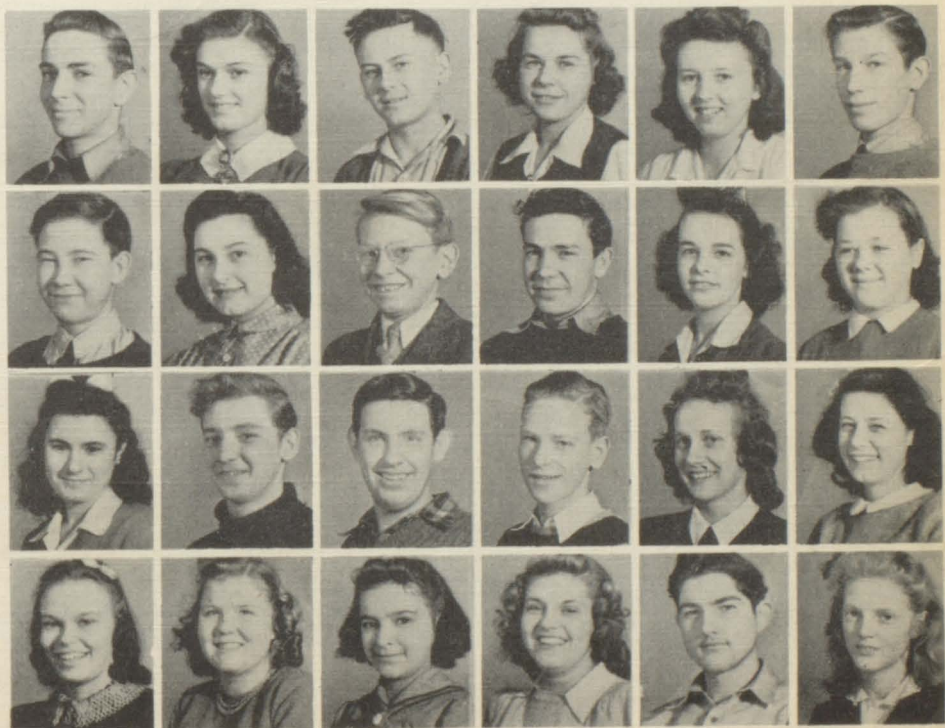
Kenneth Ricketts, *President*  
Shirley Nelson, *Vice President*  
Connie Grenis, *Secretary*  
Harold Mashburn, *Treasurer*

## SPONSORS

Miss Coblentz, *Chairman*  
Miss Comeford  
Miss Bowles  
Miss Allis  
Miss Coble  
Mrs. Owings



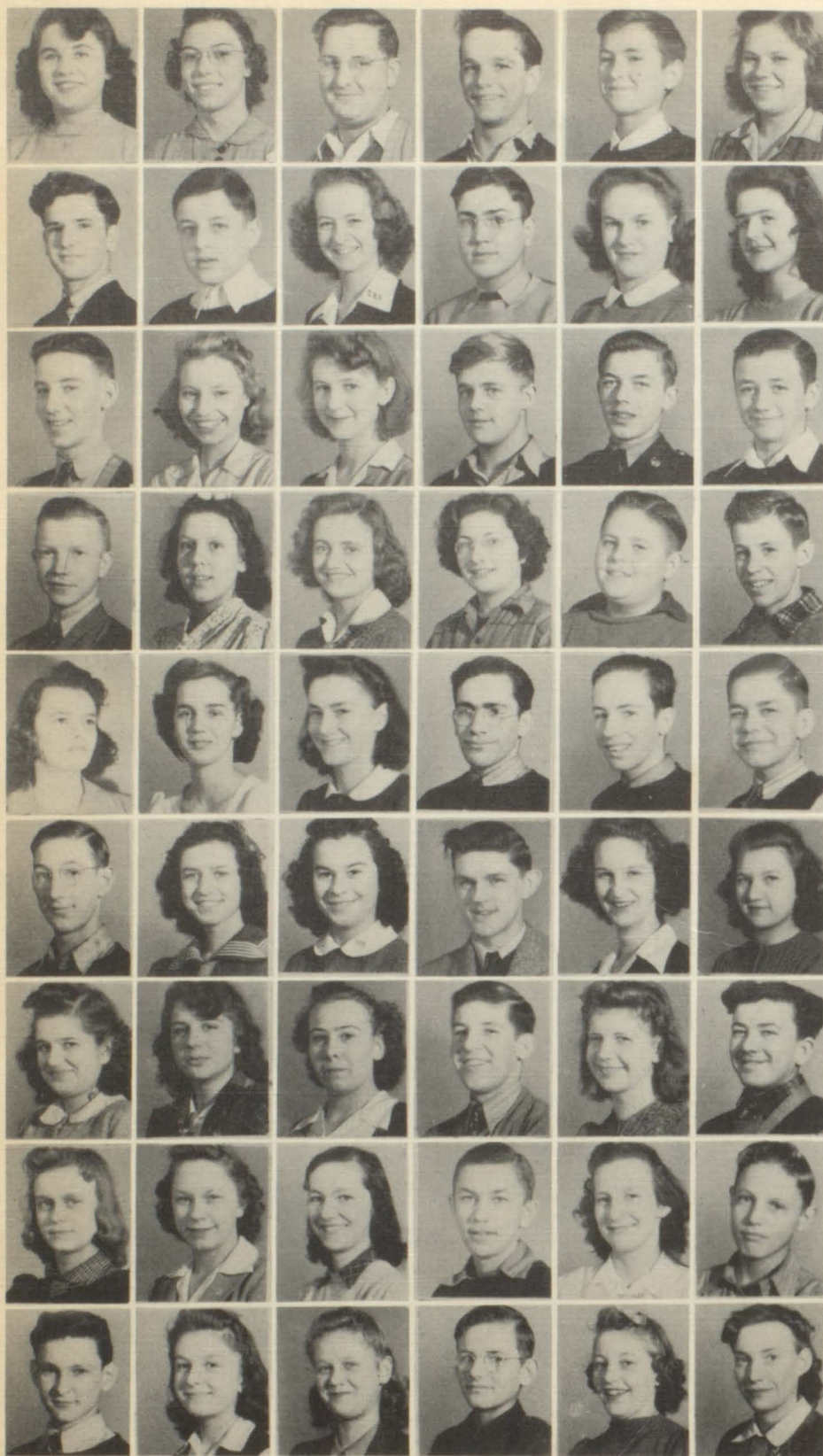
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John Andruess  
Dorothy Auskalnis  
Louise Baich  
John Baran  
  
Richard Bartholomew  
Josephine Basiak  
Edward Berry  
Neil Berry  
Dorothea Bertola  
Irene Bloksha  
  
Nardine Bonomo  
Albert Brabazon  
Bill Bray  
Harold Brown  
Patty Brownell  
Margaret Cenko  
  
Claudia Charlesworth  
Jessie Cornell  
Katie David  
Dorothy Davis  
Louis Degard  
Claudine Dixon



"Not one of us has the right to expect somebody else to do our duty for us; this is a Democracy."

—CHARLES D. LUTZ,  
Supt. of Gary Schools





Julia Dranchak  
Helen Dymanowski  
Franklin Enrico  
John Fengya  
John Francus  
Margaret Garbus

Brice Gonzalez  
Edward Gottschling  
Connie Grenis  
Jack Groth  
Julia Guba  
Tillie Hallman

Jean Hanson  
Mildred Hanthorn  
Mary Horbovetz  
Glenn Hargens  
Charles Henke  
Henry Herma

Charles Hicks  
Marie Hostetler  
Ann Hudak  
Marjorie Jaeger  
Ronald Jaeger  
Norman Jahnke

Norma Bloksha  
Helen Johnson  
Patsy Jovanovich  
Christian Kaletta  
William Kaletta  
Walter Kleban

Edward Konopacki  
Catherine Kolic  
Helen Kowal  
Frank Kryszak  
Margaret Ksiazek  
Adeline Kucson

Alma Kurimski  
Julia Kurimski  
Helen Latkowski  
Wallace Leshk  
Lillian Lewandowski  
Adolph Lopp

Mary Lubash  
Alice Lundberg  
Geraldine Lutkus  
Leonard Malin  
Helen Maresko  
Robert Martin

Harold Mashburn  
Dorothy McKaly  
Frances Mikenas  
John Milko  
Irene Mizerak  
Betty Nay

"Democracy is not only a theory but a reality, a way of life, which we are willing to defend with our minds, our money, and our lives if necessary. To the boys at the front we say, 'We will not let you down!'"

—J. W. STANDLEY,  
Principal of Tolleston School



Joan Neitzel  
 Shirley Nelson  
 Joe O'Brock  
 Joe Ozug  
 Betty Paczolt  
 Paul Palichuk

Genevieve Pete  
 Doris Petrovich  
 Ann Petruch  
 Rudy Palinski  
 Marian Pope  
 Geraldine Powers

Gloria Powers  
 Charles Price  
 Loretta Pukoszek  
 June Purcell  
 John Radis  
 Joan Rakowski

Peter Reigert  
 Joyce Richmond  
 Kenneth Ricketts  
 James Robinson  
 Tony Rose  
 Dorothy Ross

Dorothy Roth  
 John Rozsa  
 George Schaser  
 Nelda Schuh  
 Mary Skala  
 Miriam Smeltzer

Ann Someson  
 George Stefanko  
 Robert Szillage  
 Betty Taylor  
 Patty Taylor  
 Ann Toth

Marie Toth  
 John Urbanik  
 Floyd Vaughn  
 Helen Vislosky  
 Mary Wanat  
 Bernice Wardell

Vergil Wardell  
 Eugene Waters  
 Melvin Webster  
 James Whittaker  
 Harold Williams  
 Beulah Williamson

Eleanor Winicki  
 Naomi Wolfe  
 Dorothy Woloszyn  
 Faye Yaros  
 Florence Zavada  
 Willard Sonnenberg

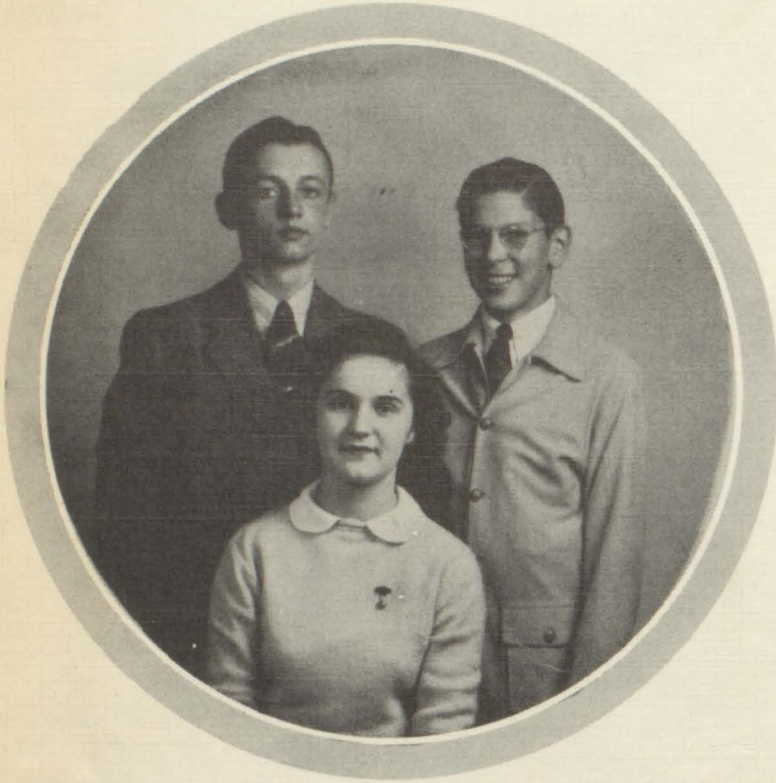


"In this crisis we need to keep 'chins up', and 'fill the unforgiving minute with sixty seconds' worth of distance run', and have our feet implanted upon a solid rock of faith in Democracy."

—RUSSELL G. ANDERSON,  
 Supervisor of Gary High Schools



# Freshmen Class of 1945



## OFFICERS

Richard Wojkovich, *President*  
George Stretars, *Treasurer*  
Ann Kokinda, *Secretary*

## SPONSORS

Miss Wallace, *Chairman*  
Mrs. Plant  
Mrs. Beck  
Mr. Devitt  
Mr. Hayes  
Mr. Schroeder



Alberta Allard  
Arthur Anderson  
Anna Arden  
Paul Arden  
Charles Arts  
Mary Babinchak  
Mike Baran  
Madeline Barella  
Charlotte Bastin  
Norma Biancotti  
Augustine Boto  
William Bozak  
Theresa Brazauskas  
Alfred Bromberg  
Donald Brower  
Shirley Brown  
Frances Caesar  
Florence Carlson  
Betty Caylor  
Elizabeth Charochak  
Marie Chuch  
Margaret Conway  
Irene Corzine  
Mary Bobis  
Bernice Danks  
Janice Davis  
Louis Davis  
Edward Denta

"You may disarm the hands, but not the brains, of a people; and to know what should be defended is the first condition of successful defense."

—JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL



Mary Dubowsky  
Edward Dunlap  
Jean Edson  
Harry Elkins  
Donald Estes  
Robert Fedorchak  
Clyde Frank

Sarabelle Frank  
Mary Fulea  
Eileen Gerchak  
Phyllis Giordana  
Clifford Goad  
Mildred Goldner  
Charles Gonzalez

Dan Gottschling  
Robert Grolla  
Frank Guenther  
Lawrence Guenther  
Leona Haburjak  
Mary Halkias  
Adele Hamann

Marilyn Hanson  
Nick Horbovetz  
Alfred Harms  
Andrew Harnak  
Joe Hegedus  
Hilda Helwig  
John Hendricks

Patricia Hultquist  
Peggy Johnson  
Pauline Jurcik  
Paul Kachur  
Betty Kacin  
George Kalata  
Bernard Kaminski

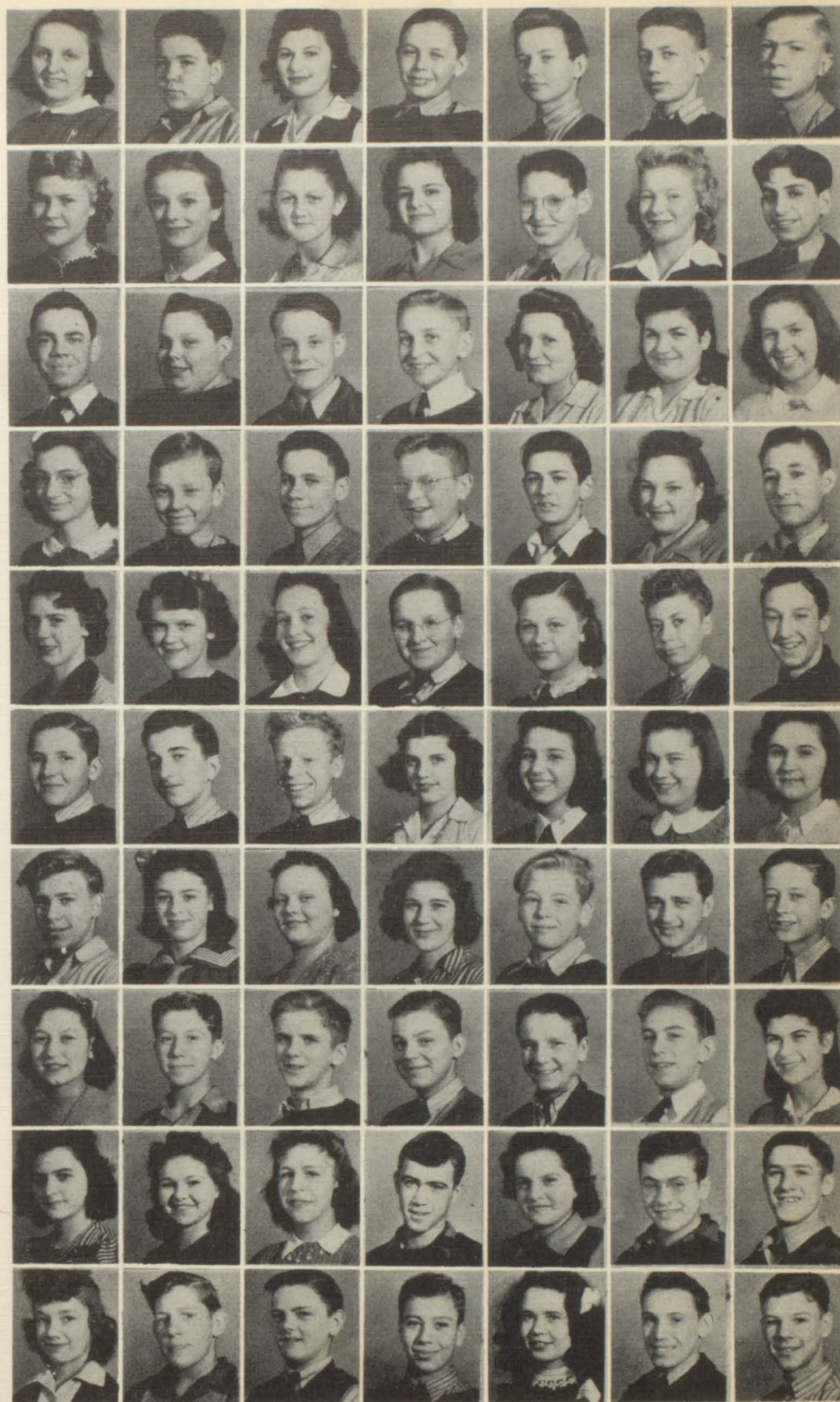
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Edward Kasiak  
George Katana  
Betty Kirk  
Laura Klein  
Doris Kneisley  
Ann Kokinda

William Kokotovich  
Veronica Kolic  
Laura Kolodziej  
Olga Konopacki  
George Kopscick  
John Koslow  
John Kulanko

Sophie Kurhan  
Edward Lambert  
Donald Langbehn  
Burdell Lehnkull  
Frank Lentner  
Leroy LeDrew  
Lilyan Lopez

Mary Lorenzo  
La Verne Love  
Stella Maciejewski  
Tony Macchia  
Josephine Macchia  
Mike Macchia  
George Malinich

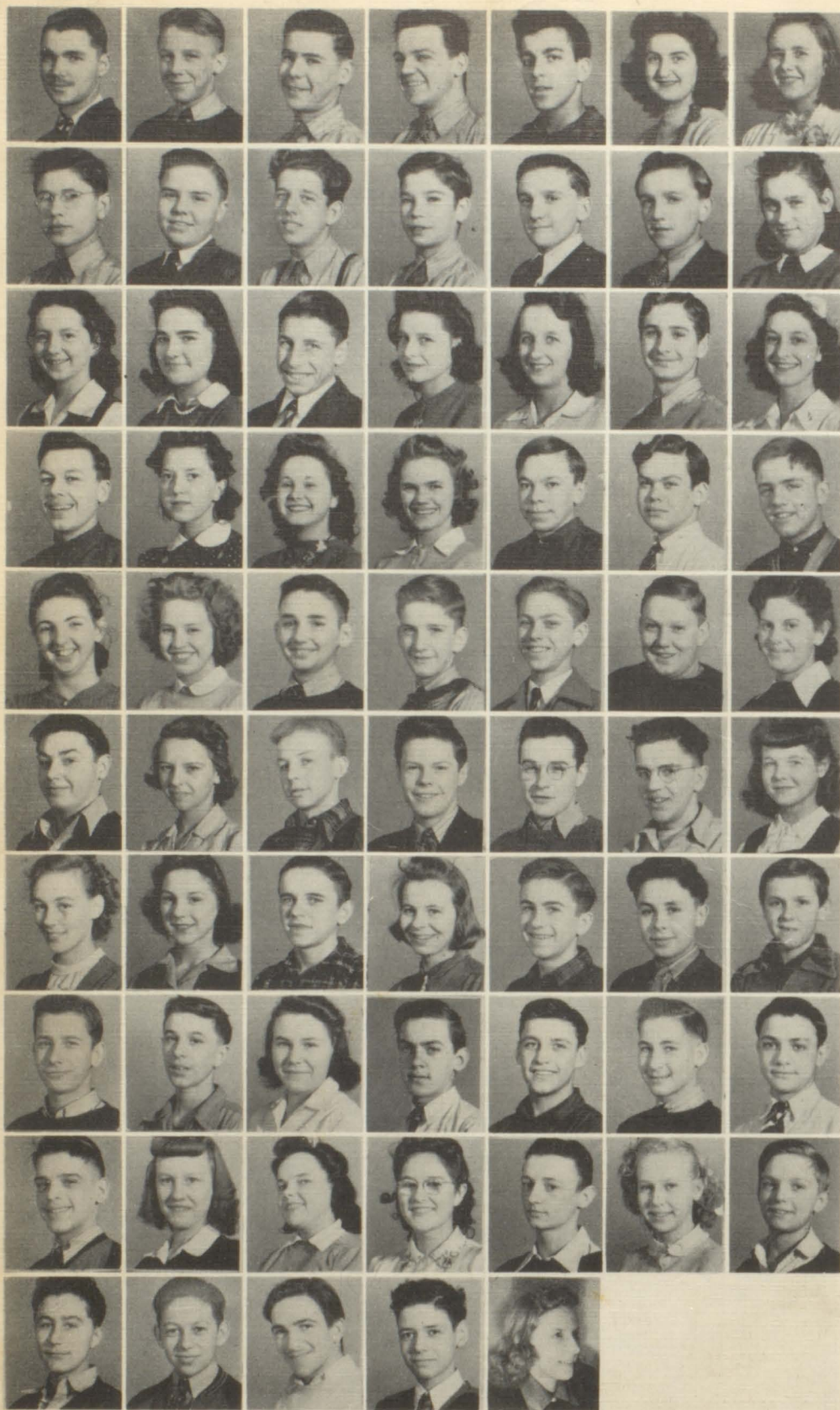
Mary Maris  
Bill Martin  
Jim McClellan  
Cecil Miller  
Lillian Mitchell  
Austin Moehl  
Jim Murray



"The free common school system of the land is probably, after all, the greatest single power in the unifying process which is producing the American race."

—ANDREW CARNEGIE





Carl Nagy  
Arnold Nedberg  
Bob Nichols  
Louis Nemeiksis  
Jack Nigrelli  
Clara Olivadoti  
Billie Olson

Anthony Organ  
James Ottoson  
Arnold Parduhn  
Carl Parduhn  
Frank Pavelka  
Paul Pavelka  
Florence Petrovich

Eleanor Petyo  
Jacqueline Ping  
Louis Pishkur  
Mary Pishkur  
Irene Powoznik  
Robert Powers  
Titina Pupillo

John Pysh  
Rose Rado  
Mary Rafferty  
Lucille Reed  
Ted Revers  
Ted Reynolds  
John Roach

Dorothy Schlagel  
Amarylyce Schmidt  
Robert Schroeder  
Herbert Schultz  
Richard Seeley  
Robert Schweitzer  
Mary Ann Shotts

Robert Shuman  
Betty Sidnam  
Carl Slatton  
Robert Smith  
Bill Smock  
Ellis Snyder  
Ramona Sokit

Agnes Soroka  
Bernice Spak  
Chester Szybala  
Henrietta Thomas  
Raymond Thompson  
Robert Todd  
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George Urbanik  
Frank Vespo

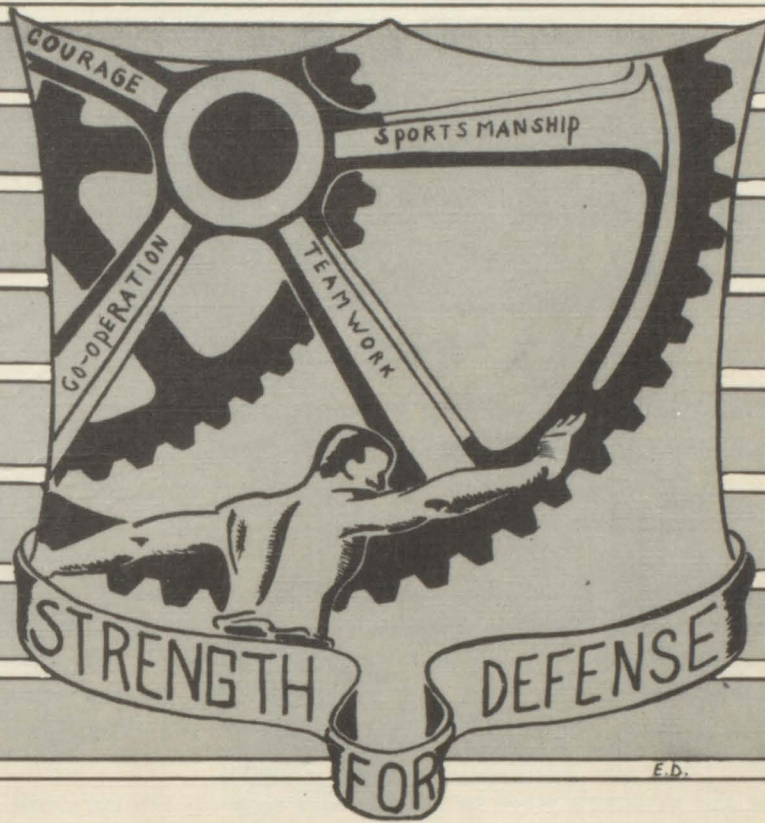
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Judith Wiley  
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Richard Wojkovich  
Marjorie Yaborek  
Frank Yankusky

John Zakutansky  
Roland Zavada  
Mike Zigich  
Leroy Fisher  
Wanda Mae Arndt

"Your education gives you the opportunity to become a better informed and trained citizen; it is this training that enables you to more ably appreciate and serve this great Democracy in which you live."

—OPAL FRENCH





E.D.



# In Memoriam



C. E. ATCHISON

Tolleston mourns the loss of one of its best workers and supporters of all school and community activities. Here is a letter from "his boys" who knew him as "Pop".

Dear Pop:

It's hard to believe that you've really left us. Things just don't seem the same any more. Remember the swell times we had together—the fun we had on all our athletic trips, especially that one to Williamsport. Remember how on that trip we secretly took a package from Coach's pocket and then offered him some of its contents. Oh yes, and Tony had to buy us gummy caramels, that we couldn't get our teeth out of, just to keep us quiet. Those were the good old days, Pop.

We'll never forget the time you were in the minstrel show at the carnival. The people rolled in the aisles with laughter. You were the one to make people happy; you could make anybody happy. And, Pop, that same night at the carnival you nearly had all the tough-guy athletes crying when you sang "Rockin' Chair's Got Me." We didn't tell you before because we thought you'd make fun of us.

Aw gee, you were really swell; you did everything for us. You were toastmaster at our banquets; you kept time at our basketball games; you not only made the best down box and yard markers in the state but you also operated them at all our football games; you were "Number One Rooter" at every contest we ever entered—there was hardly a thing you didn't do for us, Pop.

The tough part of it all is that we can't do anything big enough to repay you. We tried to show our gratitude right after you left us. We hadn't won a game all season, and Coach told us to go out and win one for you. Well, we did, Pop. We won it; we won it especially for you. But we needn't tell you that; you know because you were with us then; you'll always be with us no matter what we do. You were with us at our banquet this year, too; and when we stood silently for one minute in your honor, we were again trying in our humble way to express our appreciation for all you've done for us. Please stay with us always, Pop, and remember that every game we win, we'll win for you.

YOUR BOYS





Coach McGrath

# Graduating Seniors



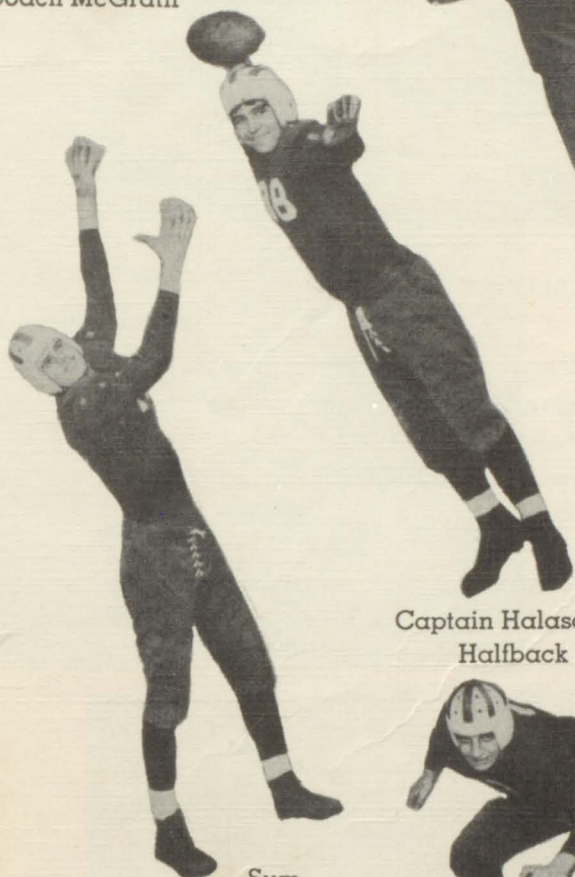
McDonald  
End



Wallace  
End



Nichols  
End



Captain Halaschak  
Halfback



Oresik  
Halfback



E. Baran  
Guard



Sum  
End



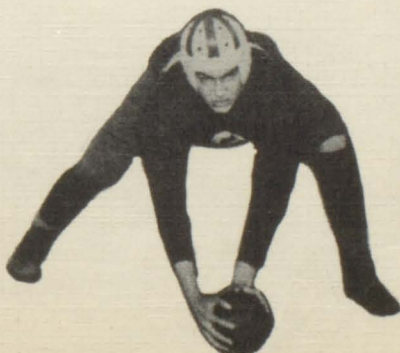
Mussie  
Center



Leshk  
Fullback



Kusak  
Tackle



Peschke  
Center



Stasco  
Fullback





### VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

*First Row:* Jack Willsey, Mike Oresik, Nick McDonald, Harry Mussie, Dominic Sapone.

*Second Row:* Mgr. Edward Strudas, Paul Wallace, Edmund Baran, Nick Kusak, Bill Nichols, Paul Halaschak, Ray Stasco, George Leshk, Clemens Peschke, Andy Sum, Mgr. James Taber.

*Third Row:* Edward Kazlauskas, John Baran, John Pemberton, Tony Wrann, John Jurcik, Bill Schlagel, Kenneth Griffin, James Robinson, Bernard Kaminski.

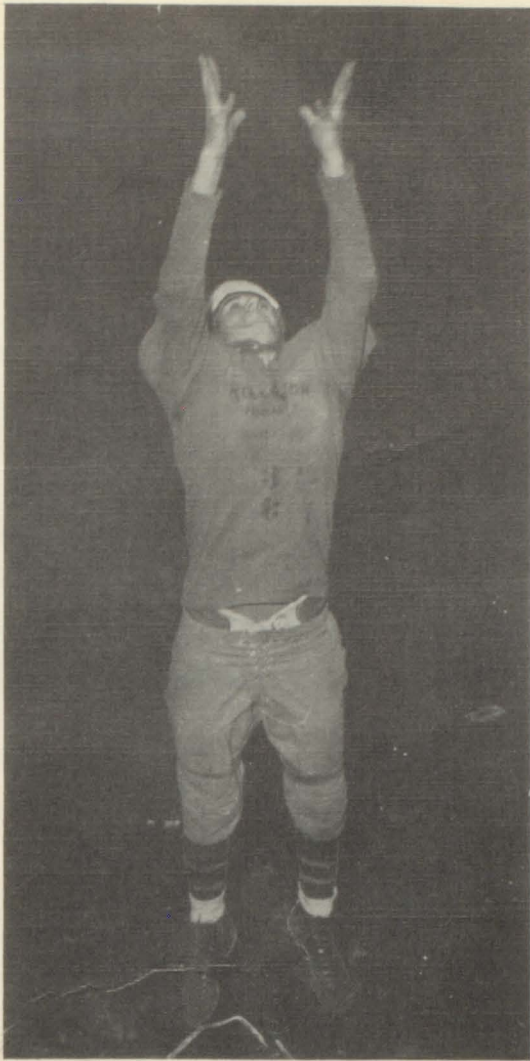
Tolleston inaugurated its first year in N.I.H.S.C. by facing stiffer competition than it ever encountered before. Playing against strong opposition, the Raiders showed 1 win, 1 tie, and 4 losses.

Although the Raiders did not have a number of victories, Coach McGrath can be complimented for moulding his team into one of the finest spirited ones he has coached.



Reed, Leshk, Halaschak, and Griffin.





## CHEER LEADERS

Lillian Zarcoff, Angeline Knezevich, James Snyder,  
and Ann Magura.



Andy Sum, flashy Tolleston end, was voted an end position on the Western N.I.H.S.C. team. He is the first Raider football player to gain recognition on an All Conference Team.

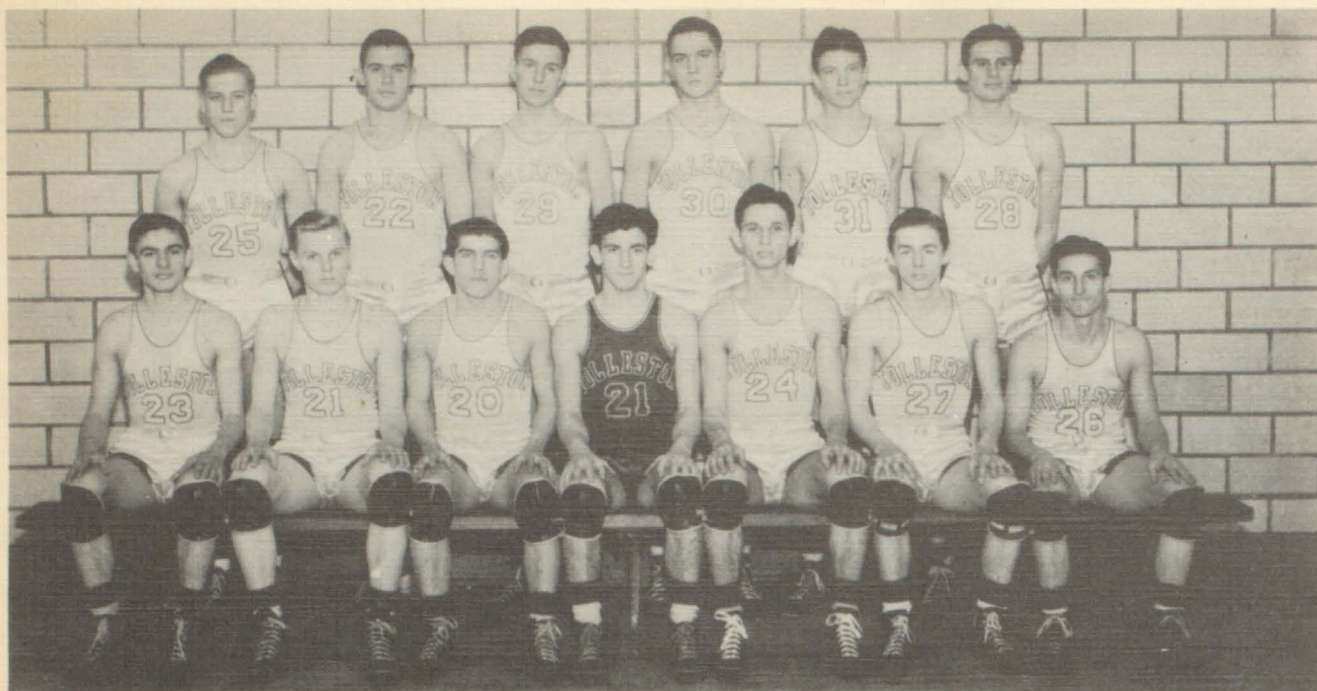


## FRESHMAN FOOTBALL TEAM

"The good education of youth has been esteemed by wise men in all ages as the surest foundation of happiness."

—BENJAMIN FRANKLIN





#### VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

*First Row:* Hrapchak, Reed, Co-captain Strudas, Mussie, Co-captain Wojkovich, Strickland, Buckner.

*Second Row:* Griffin, Nichols, Macey, Schmidt, Guist, Sum.

Playing their first year in the N.I.H.S.C. conference, the Raiders made a record of 9 victories and 14 defeats.

In the Sectional Tournament the Raiders advanced to the semi-finals by defeating Valparaiso and Edison of Gary. In their third game they were defeated by Emerson in a "thriller" by a score of 36-32.

The "tournament ten" consisted of Co-captains Strudas and Wojkovich, Hraychak, Reed, Mussie, Nichols, Macey, Schmidt, Sum, and Guist.



#### BASKETBALL RESERVES

*First Row:* Yurchak, Robinson, Slatton, Servay, Brown, Kaminski, Lawrence, Leshk, Schaser.

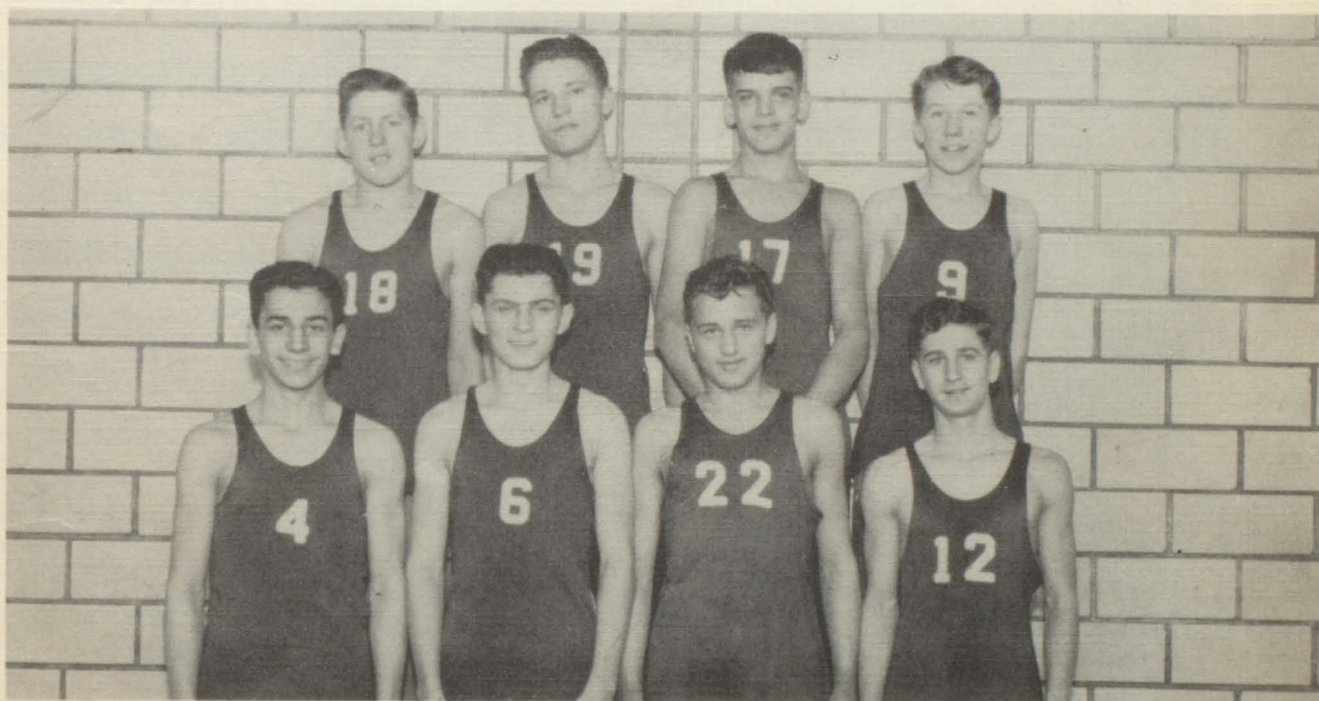
*Second Row:* Pemberton, Ulicni, Schlagel, Galster, Devitt, Baran, Hanson.





#### FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM

*First Row:* Elkins, Harnak, Nedberg.      *Second Row:* Bromberg, Wojkovich, Boto, Miller, Uhrinchak.  
*Third Row:* Malinich, Reynolds, Brower, Nichols, Pysh, Macchia.



#### EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL TEAM

*First Row:* Mussie, Smith, Koslow, Powers.      *Second Row:* Martin, Liedtke, Vigil, Lambert.

"A Republic without an education would be like a human being without a soul."

—CHARLES SUMNER





TOLLESTON'S FIRST BASEBALL TEAM

*In Front:* Sapone, and Manager Francus.

*First Row:* Scheub, Guist, Komisarck, Yaros, Hrapchak, Strudas, Buckner, Robinson, McNary, Leshk.

*Second Row:* Assistant Coach Mike Yaros, Schmidt, Ulicni, Romanowski, Banchy, Sum, Hanson, Nichols, Wojkovich, Coach Devitt.



THE 1942 BASEBALL TEAM

*First Row:* Komisarck, Scheub, McNary, Strudas, Wojkovich, G. Leshk, Hrapchak, W. Leshk, Martin, Sapone.

*Second Row:* Lazar, Lawrence, Nichols, Sum, Schmidt, Ulicni, Guist, Kaminski, Robinson.



1942 TRACK TEAM

Baseball, "The Great American Game", was revived last spring in the Gary Schools for the first time in twelve years by the Blue Raiders of Tolleston.

Coach Devitt, discovering a demand for competition in baseball, entered the school into the conference with other schools of the Calumet region.

Mike Yaros, former White Sox pitcher and player manager of the Spencer Coals, outstanding Semi-Pro team of Chicago, was an able assistant to Coach Devitt in moulding a fine team.

The Raiders' record of the 1941 season was 6 victories and 8 losses. The most impressive victory was 1 to 0 over Roosevelt of East Chicago, champions of the N. I. H. S. C.

*First Row:* Sapone, Malinich, Trottier, C. González, Powers, "Red" Martin, Urbanik, Uhrinchak.

*Second Row:* B. Gonzalez, Wojkovich, Macchia, Griffin, Willsey, Someson, Reid, B. Martin, Schaser.

*Third Row:* McDonald, E. Baran, Paulis, Sum, Galster, J. Baran, Kusak, Elser, Kaminski.



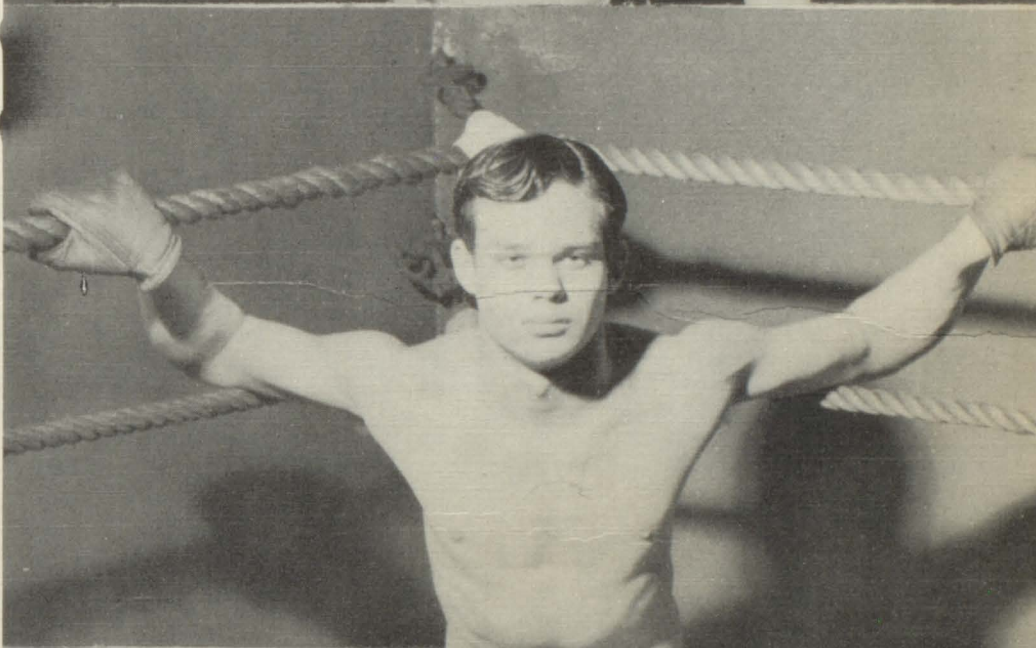
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FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPION  
OF  
GARY GOLDEN GLOVES  
TOURNAMENT



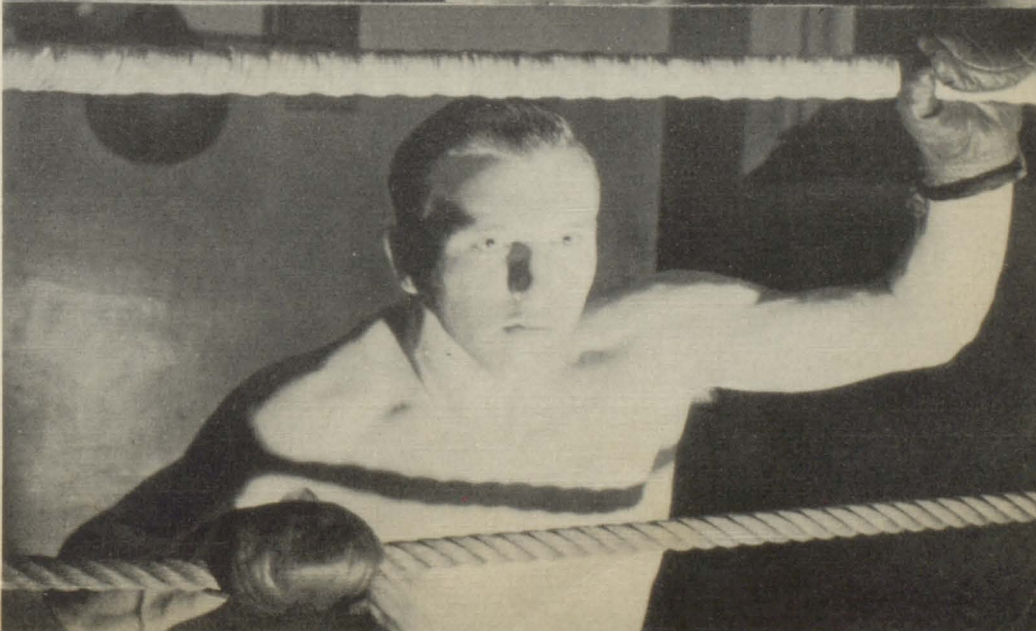
SAM SOMESON  
LIGHTWEIGHT CONTENDER



TED REYNOLDS  
WELTERWEIGHT CONTENDER



BILL MARTIN  
LIGHTWEIGHT CONTENDER





erson, Tolleston End... Tolleston Light

Tolleston Rally Edges Froebel 'B'

Getting away from the all-important Washington-Wallace conference title clash for the moment, football in the western division circuit swings into a clean-up program of postponed titles this weekend which will carry into the following week and include several district clubs.

A spark of action and little more still is scheduled to appear on Friday night the Golden Raiders of Emerson and Blue Raiders of Tolleston close out their respective campaigns in their fifth straight meeting under the floods of Glasgow.

With Wallace meeting Washington in the final quarter for a 9-0 scoring margin and a one-point victory, Morris, Schlegel and Robinson led Tolleston scoring while Stuper, Armenta and Gramschewich collected most of the Froebel points. Box scores:

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Tolleston (25) vs Froebel (12), Emerson (14) vs Wallace (14), and others.

Tolleston, Clark Tackle Tackle Tackle

Clark, Tolleston's tackle, was the star of the game, leading the team to a 25-12 victory over Froebel.

Tolleston "B" In 20-15 Win

Hitting a six-point scoring stride in each of the last three quarters, Tolleston's reserves last night came from behind to post a 20-15 win over Williamsport's "B" team in a Memorial stadium preliminary.

The visitors led 5-0 at the quarter and 10-0 at the half with Tolleston getting a 15-12 lead on which to start the final quarter. Kamskani led Tolleston scoring with six points. Box scores:

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Rows include Tolleston (20) vs Williamsport (15), Emerson (14) vs Wallace (14), and others.

Nice Balance

Tolleston's reserves last night came from behind to post a 20-15 win over Williamsport's "B" team in a Memorial stadium preliminary.

Winamac

Tolleston's reserves last night came from behind to post a 20-15 win over Williamsport's "B" team in a Memorial stadium preliminary.

Tolleston Drops "B" Game, 23-18

Pulling short with a final quarter drive after giving away an 18-0 lead in the third period, reserves of Tolleston dropped a 23-18 decision Tuesday night to Wallace.

Tolleston School Girl Wins Essay Contest

Miss Patty Kelly, Tolleston high school senior, placed third in the state essay contest on "The American Revolution" sponsored by the National Education Association.

Hi-Y Club for Boys Formed At Tolleston

Under the sponsorship of Herbert H. H. H., approximately 20 boys have become members of a Hi-Y club at Tolleston.

Latin Students at Tolleston Compile 'Roman Life' Book

The Latin department of Tolleston school has compiled a new reference book on Roman life for the senior library, "The Roman Empire," compiled and edited by Betty Jakubik and Robert Wojcik.

THE OPEN HEARTH

WE'RE AMERICANS. I never graduated from school, I don't know much money, I'm a butted out old fool.

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### R. O. T. C.

*These officers led them:*

Cadet Capt. Yaros, Cadet Major Leshk, Cadet Lieut. McDonald, Cadet Lieut. Col. Wallace, Cadet Lieut. Butz, Cadet Lieut. Frame, Cadet Lieut. Fisher, Cadet Lieut. Flaherty, Cadet Lieut. Kouloutpanis, Cadet Capt. Powers was absent when the picture was taken.



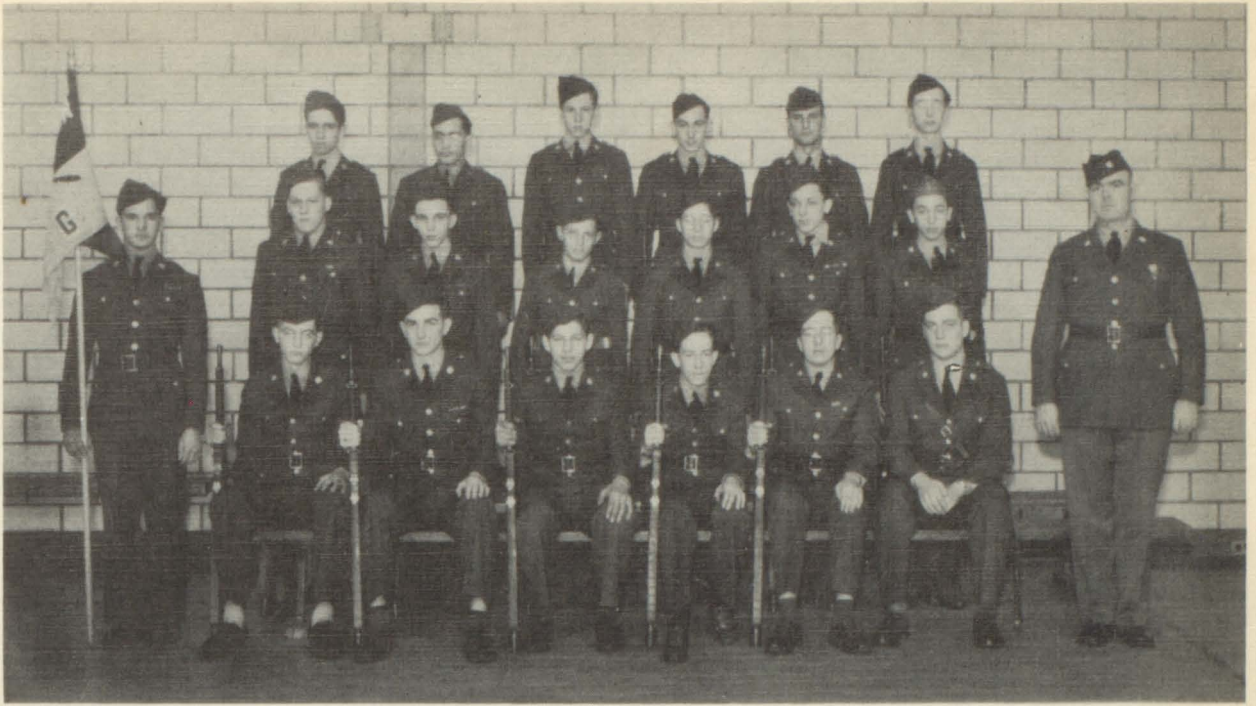
### NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

*First Row:* Gonzalez, Komisarcik, Webster, Rozsa, Servay, Griffin, Piechocki, F. Sanborn, Worthington, Snyder, Terwilliger, Woods.

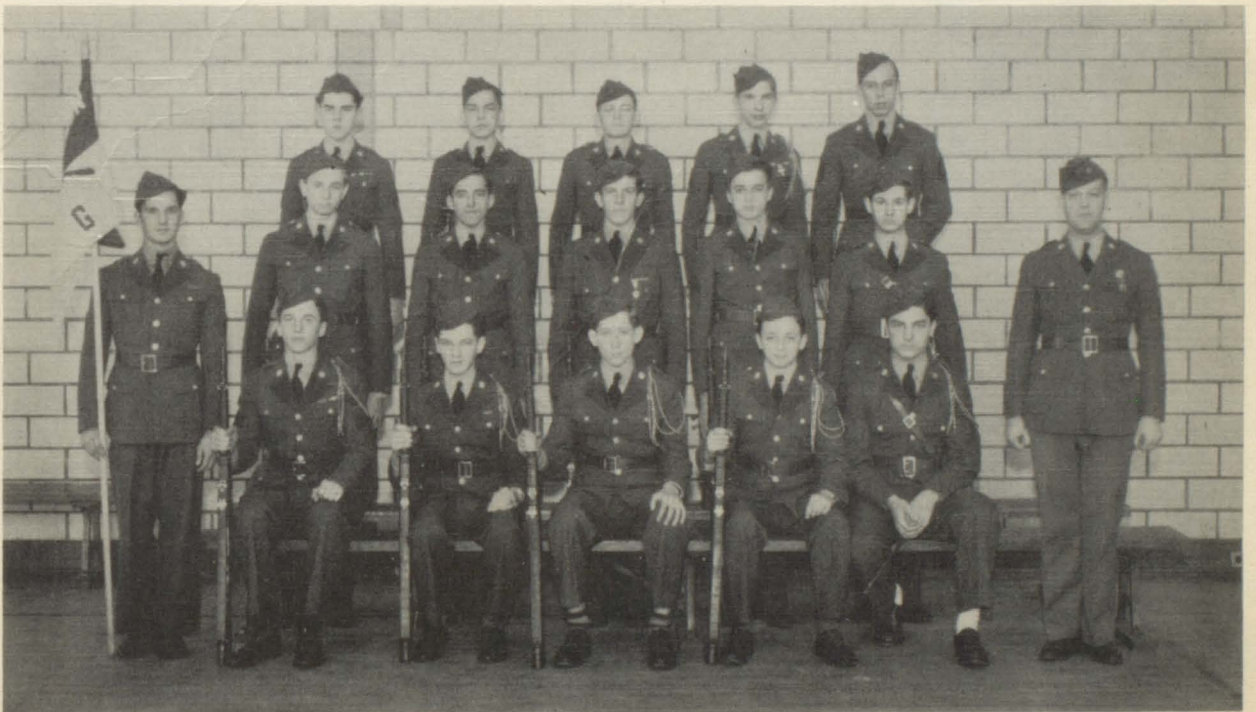
*Second Row:* Willsey, O'Brock, Palinski, Spletzer, Czerniak, Williamson, Organ, Fedorchak, Cox, Reed.

*Third Row:* Tokarz, Falk, Reimer, D. Sanborn, Hudak, Petyo, Gastel, Martin, Flaharty, Snodgrass.



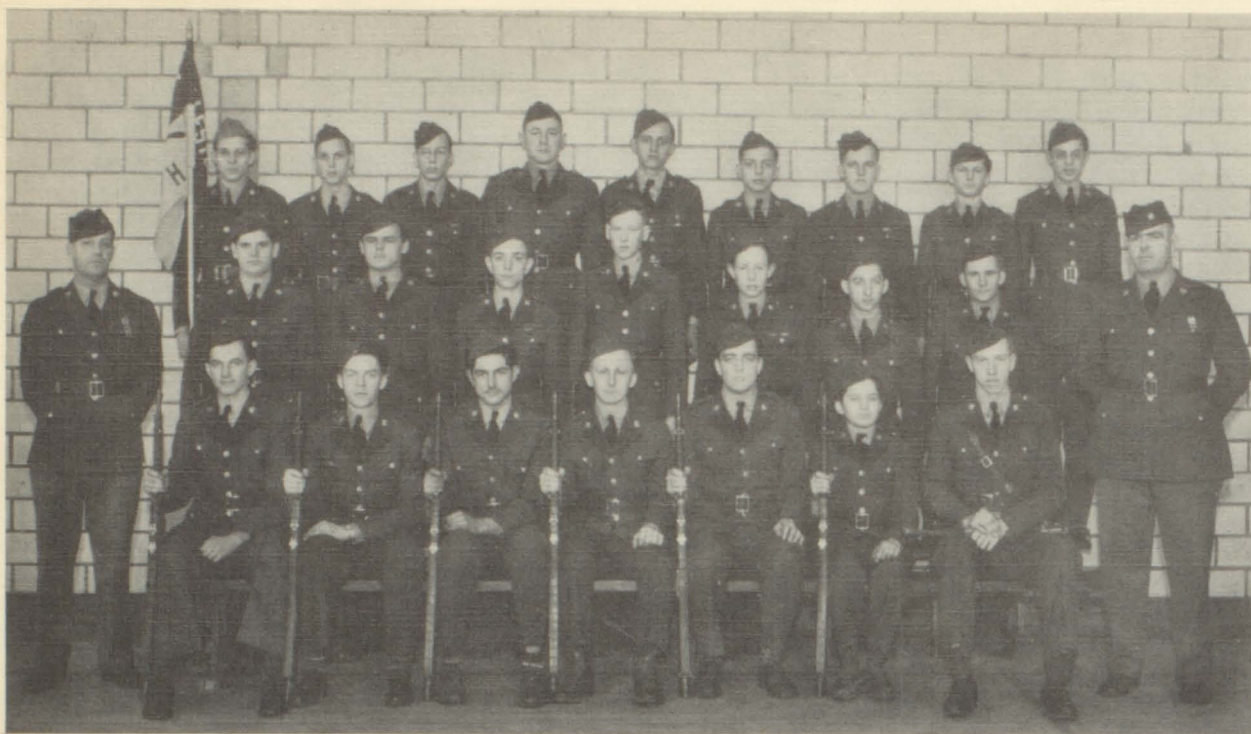


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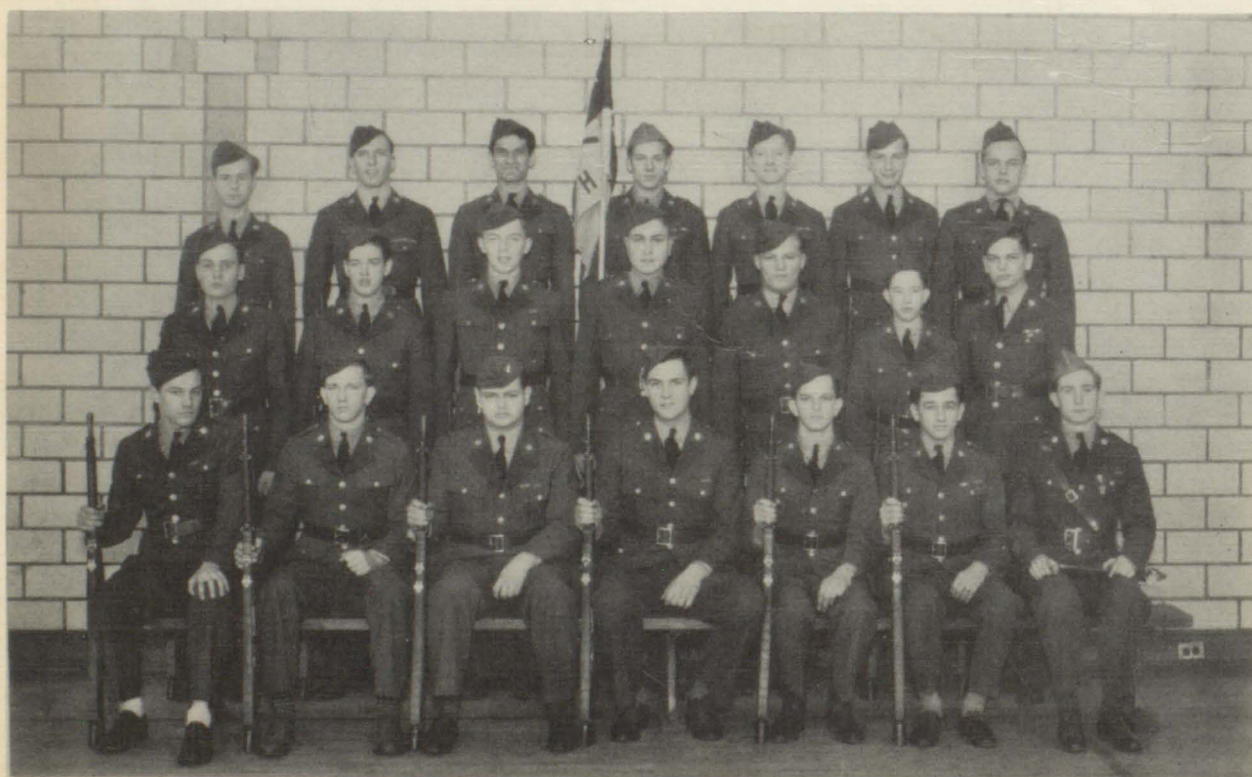




FIRST PLATOON, COMPANY H

Instructor, Sergeant Haas

Instructor, Sergeant Cook



SECOND PLATOON, COMPANY H

"Students need to know, always, that Democracy carries responsibilities as well as privileges. Everyone is privileged to an education, but each student has the responsibility of doing good work."

—GEORGE CRANE



# G. A. A.



Gloria Simi, *President*  
 Mary Ellen McNary, *Vice President*  
 Victoria Poremski, *Secretary*  
 Julia Zelenick, *Treasurer*  
 Mrs. Owings, *Sponsor*

*Purpose:* To stimulate good sportsmanship  
 and health.

Victoria Remkus  
 Hulda Taub



Stella Dubowsky  
 Eileen Gaydos  
 Cecile Maresko



Ellyn O'Brock  
 Maida Palinski  
 Agnes Powoznik  
 Betty Jakubik



Barbara Smeltzer  
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 Adele Warieka  
 Eleanor Wierzba  
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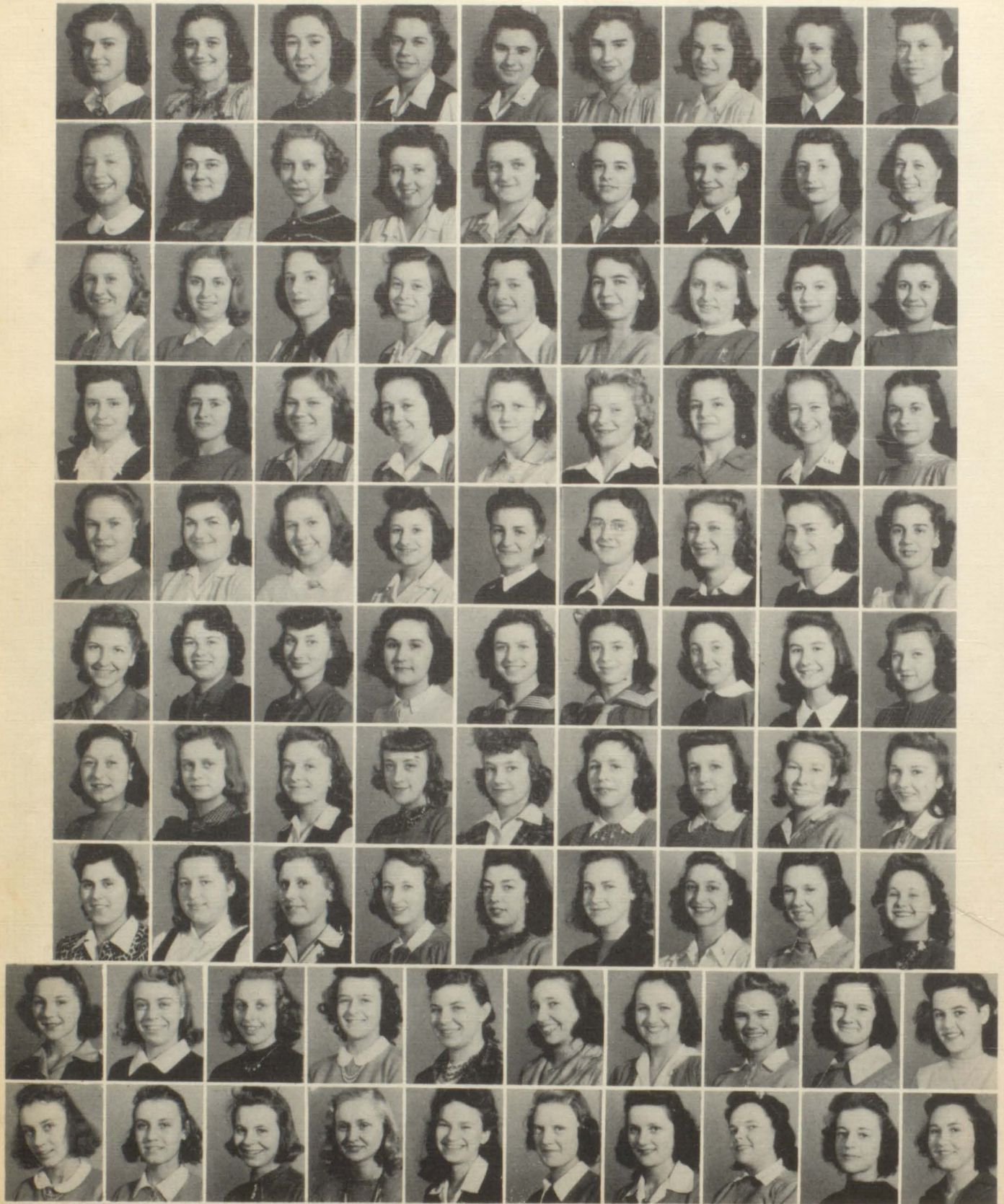


"Physical education, the education of body and mind, is a Democratic way of life."

—MARCIA OWINGS



# G. A. A.



"In a Democracy we enjoy many privileges; we must share the responsibilities."

—EDITH WALLACE





SENIOR AWARD GIRLS

Victoria Poremski, Hulda Taub, Mary Ellen McNary, Betty Jakubik,  
Mamie Herma, Victoria Remkus, Gloria Simi.



SWEATER GIRLS



HEALTH CLUB



HIGH BOWLERS



SPEEDBALL CHAMPS



HEALTH CLUB

"A family budget session is one of the many home situations which represents  
Democracy in action."  
—ELSIE WENDT





SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL TEAM



JUNIOR AND SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAMS



SOPHOMORE CAPTAINBALL CHAMPS



HEALTH CLUB

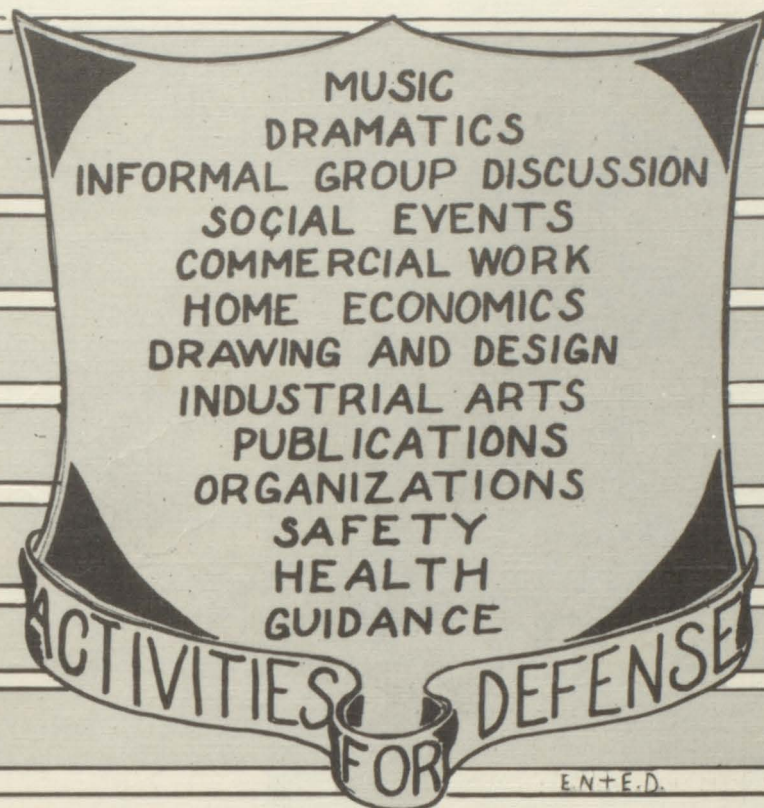


TENNIS AND TABLE TENNIS CHAMPS



FRESHMAN CAPTAINBALL TEAM






ENT E.D.




# Mathematics and Science



Bernard Kaminski is demonstrating the method of drawing a tangent to a circle.

"We are not without our problems."

—CALVIN COOLIDGE




Pictured on the left are Frank and Paul Pavelka and Miss Waggoner, mathematics teacher.

Given: Similar boys to make similar triangles.

Solution: 1. The boys are twins hence must be similar.

2. They have drawn figures with equal angles therefore the triangles are similar.  
(By definition)



## MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS

Mathematics is applied in working out the assignments in the mechanical drawing classes. Rudolph Organ and Joseph Stefanko, seniors, are the interested students at the left.

"If we wish to preserve our government by the People, every American citizen must do his utmost to end or prevent War with the People."

—OLIVE WAGGONER









SENIOR LIBRARY

"Let our age be the age of improvement."  
—GEORGE WASHINGTON



NURSE'S OFFICE

"We appreciate that the things of the body are important."  
—THEODORE ROOSEVELT



REFERENCE WORK



MRS. GASKI



MISS KRATKOCZKI AND MISS ERKEKEDIS



GUIDANCE

"I know not what course others may take, but as for me—"  
—PATRICK HENRY



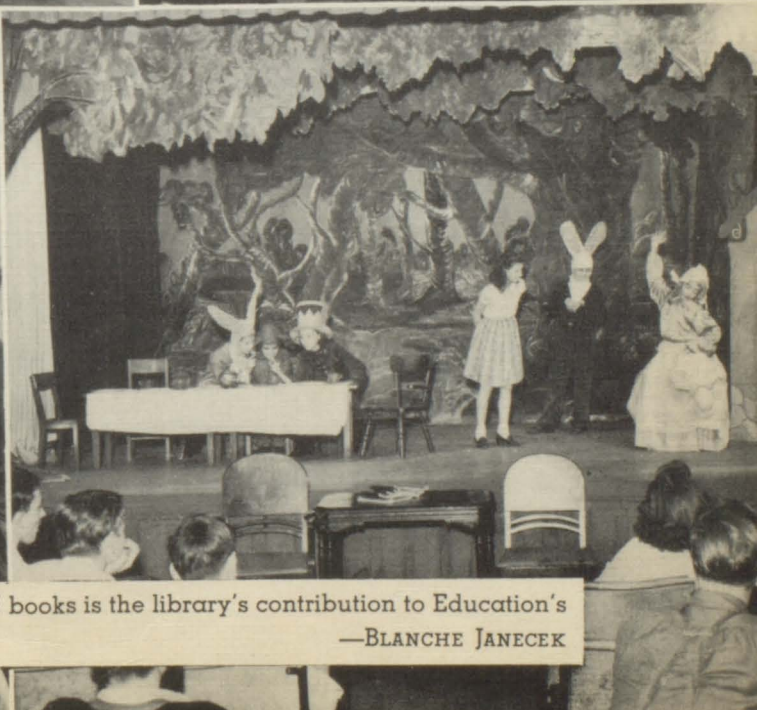
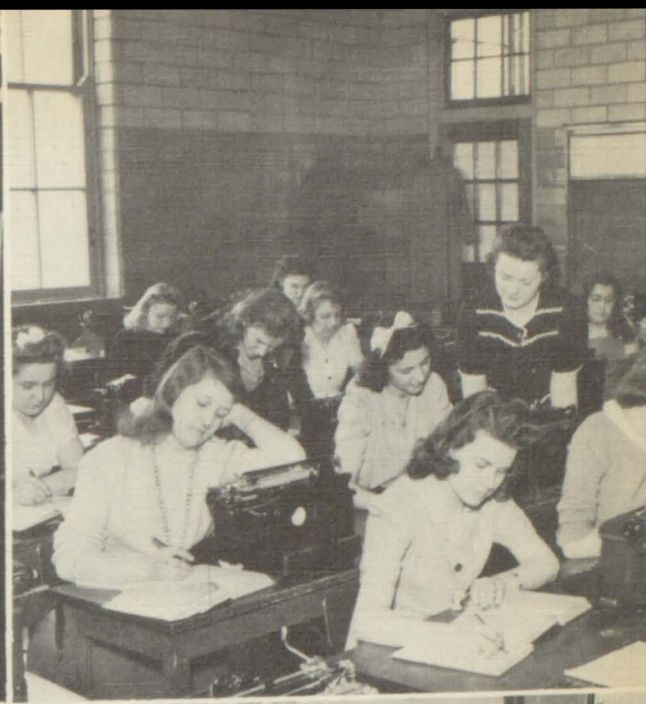
SAFETY

"We must proceed with safety."  
—EDMON GOFORTH

"Democracy and Education, Liberty and Life; these make America."

—RUTH COBLENTZ





"The free access to the wealth of books is the library's contribution to Education's place in a Democracy."

—BLANCHE JANECEK





## HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Mrs. Beck, Sponsor

First Row: Adele Warieka, Thelma Alt, Grace Weber, Ann Toth, Mrs. Beck, Helene Nieznanski, Lillian Doud, Marjorie Coffel, Margaret Dranchak, Elaine Gerchak.

Second Row: Marilyn Freiss, Iris Price, Margaret Rozsa, Helen Lopeka, Mary Powoznik, Mary Dubowsky, Mary Babinchak, Pauline Jurcik, Frances Mikenas, Dorothy Woloszyn, Helen Kowal, Mary Moser, Joan Rakowski, Mildred Fife.

Third Row: Maida Palinski, Viola Mounce, Rose Kalata, Helen Slota, Dorothy Auskalnis, Tillie Hallman, Shirley Nelson, Katherine Bahnsen, Mary Skala, Mary Maris, Betty Paczolt, Esther Booher, Bernice Wardell.



## READY TO SERVE

The picture at the left is the table set for the first course of the banquet which was held in the school cafeteria on January 28.

The banquet was a great success. It consisted of a five course dinner which the students of the cooking classes had prepared and served.

This was the main project of the semester; different phases of food preparation, table settings, and matters of etiquette, previously studied, were put into practice. A patriotic theme was carried out in all decorations.

Honor guests were Principal and Mrs. Standley and Miss Ruth Schooler.

Mildred Fife presided as chairman of the entertainment and after dinner speeches. Later, dancing was held in the recreation room of the west building.





# Nutrition Problems



ADELE WARIEKA, SENIOR,  
ACTS AS A NUTRITION GUARD AS  
CHARLES GULLIC SELECTS HIS LUNCH

KATHERINE BAHNSEN, COOKING STUDENT,  
SAMPLES HER OWN WARES

"Work, sew, and save for defense."

—MARION ALLIS



JEROME BALLOGG ENJOYS A  
TEN-CENT LUNCH

In the cafeteria very nourishing ten-cent lunches were served. The government provided surplus commodities to which other foods were added to make a complete meal. In this way the ten-cent lunch was available. Every child received a tray containing food which was high in calorie content, vitamins, minerals, and other needed elements.







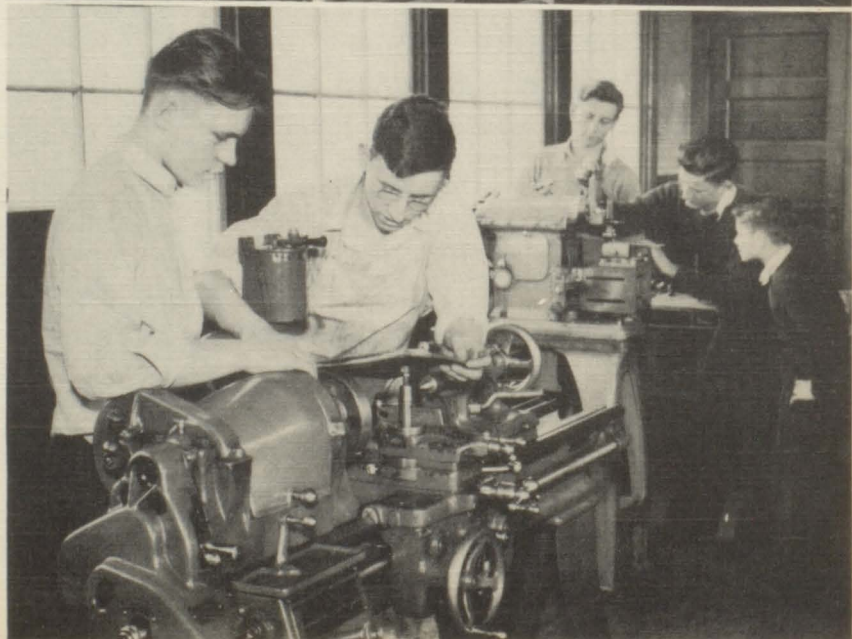
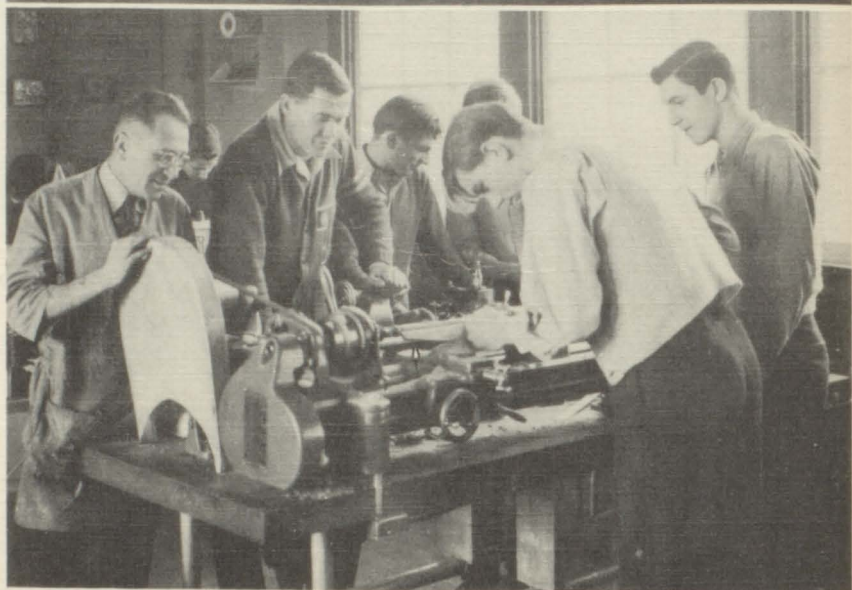
ACTIVITIES

IN

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CLASSES







#### DRAMATIC CLUB

Patsy Kelly, *president*; Nick McDonald, *vice-president*; Mary Jane Fisher, *secretary*; Eugene Dalzotto, *treasurer*; Louise Bruse, *social chairman*; Miss Jones, *sponsor*.



#### H. A. G.

"The ideal Auditorium is a Democracy in which all share and to which all contribute."

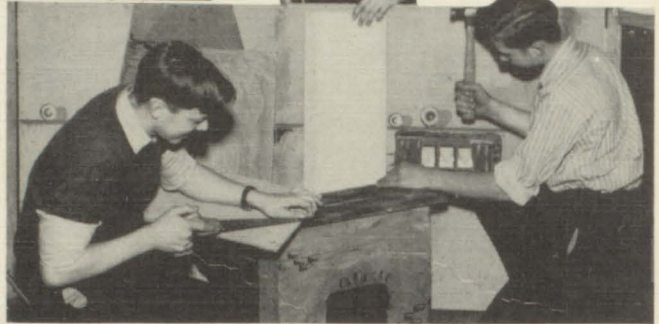
—EVELYN ALLAN JONES



## PUPPETS AND PUPPETEERS



READY FOR A PUPPET SHOW



"ALADDIN AND HIS  
WONDERFUL LAMP"

BUILDING THE STAGE  
FOR A PUPPET SHOW

THIRTY MINUTES  
BEFORE CURTAIN TIME



"Stop marking time! Acquire real learning! The measure of your future and that of Democracy is being taken each day in the Public Schools of America."

—IVALEE MOONEY





SCENE FROM CHRISTMAS PAGEANT



CHOIR



REHEARSAL



ACCOMPANISTS

"The things you do today are part of the pattern of tomorrow."

—ELLEN COVINGTON





CAST OF THE OPERETTA, "THE FOREST PRINCE"



SCENE FROM "THE FOREST PRINCE"

"Let Music enlist for service. It inspires loyalty, unity, patriotism, and good citizenship."

VIOLET VIANI





## Band Booster Club

Mrs. Carl Steele, *President*

Mrs. William Kritlow, *Vice President*

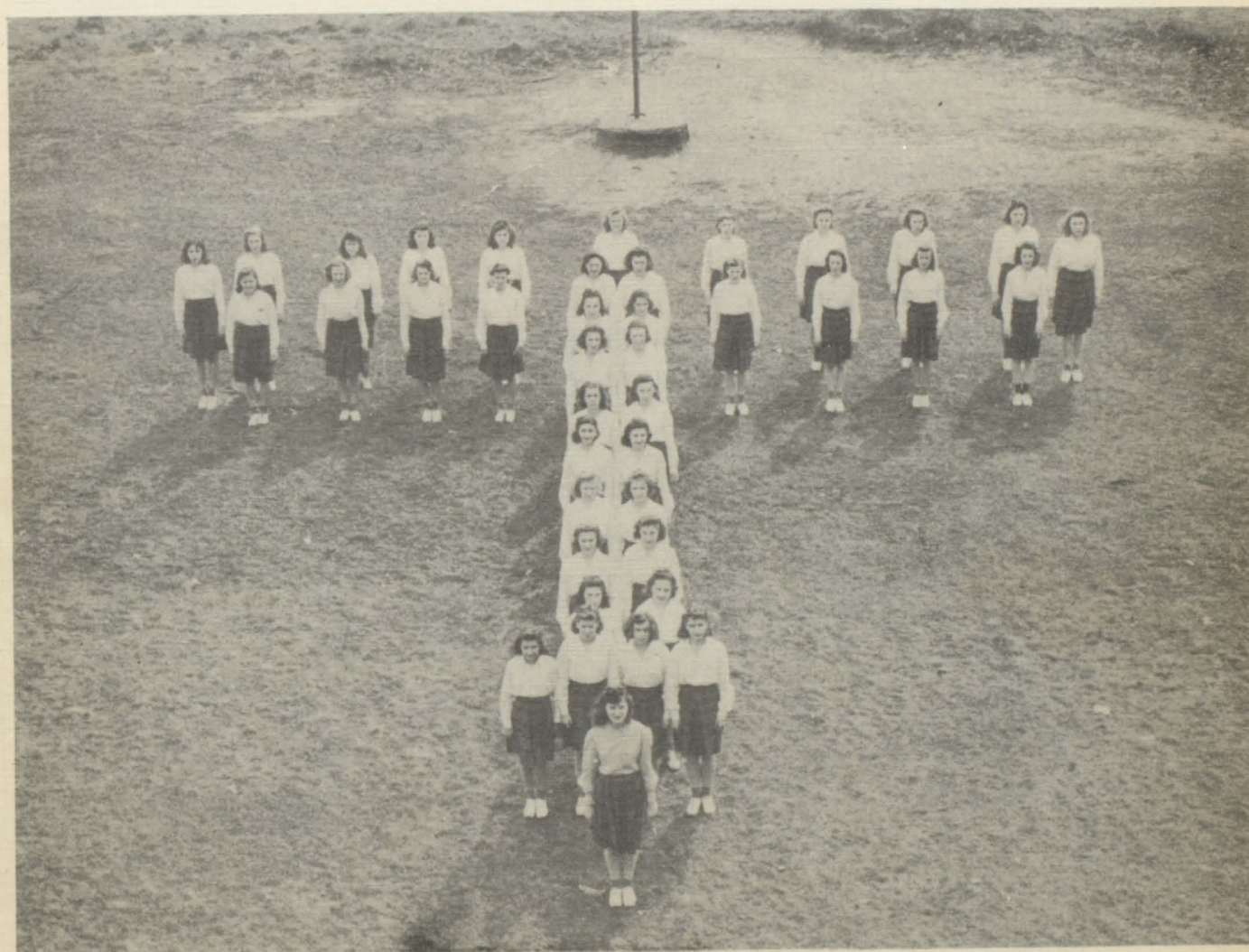
Mrs. Frank Kramer, *Recording Secretary*

Mr. Edwin Schroeder, *Instructor*

Mrs. John H. Bean, *Corresponding Secretary*

Mr. William Henke, *Treasurer*

Mr. Frank Zaloudek, *Assistant Treasurer*



GIRLS' MARCHING UNIT  
THE "RAIDERETTES"





BATON AND FLAG TWIRLERS



TROM

FRENCH HORNS



BASSES





# Band



BONES



CORNETS

BASSES



DRUMS









# Band





## LATINAS SOLIDATAS

At the right is the Virgil Class, Tolleston's first third year Latin class.

Latin Club members are shown in the two pictures below.

Robert Wojkovich,  
President

Gladys Zaloudek,  
Vice President

Lois Whitlow,  
Secretary-Treasurer

Robert Reed,  
Program Chairman

Mrs. Gilpin, Sponsor



On the opposite page are pictured a few of the many activities the Latin Club enjoyed during the past year.

Special events, not pictured, were a Variety Show and a week-end trip to the Shades.

"Responsible freedom, practiced by the students in all Tolleston classrooms and activities, develops attitudes and habits essential for responsible citizenship in our Democracy."

—MILDRED GILPIN









### EL CLUB ESPANOL

Ted Grenis, president; Stanley Czerniak, vice president; Irene Rzepczynski, secretary; Mrs. Wendt, sponsor.



### GERMAN CLUB

Kenneth Griffin, president; Alma Stevens, vice president; Mary Moser, secretary-treasurer; Miss Marsh, sponsor.

"If Democracy is to survive, citizens must give more thought to the duties and less to the privileges which it entails—a spirit of 'What can I give?' not 'What can I get?'"

—ANNA MARSH





#### ART CLUB

Raymond Stasco, *president*; Ann Toth, *vice president*; Vera Atkosh, *secretary-treasurer*; Miss Coble, *sponsor*.



#### CAMERA CLUB

Marilyn Freiss, *president*; Mike Yudt, *vice president*; Dorothy Kolley, *secretary-treasurer*; Nardine Bonomo, *publicity director*; Mr. Hufford, *sponsor*.

"Democracy and Art are so closely tied together that when we work for one, we work for the other."

—OPAL C. COBLE





#### HI-Y

Edmund Baran, president; Nick McDonald, vice president; John Gastel, secretary; Harry Mussie, treasurer; Mr. Hufford, sponsor.

#### HY-STYLE CLUB

Virginia Hurysz, president; Mary Moser, vice president; Margaret McKaly, secretary; Wanda Civilinski, treasurer; Miss Allis, sponsor.



"Education is the life blood of Democracy."

—HOBART HUFFORD



# Candidates For President In The Campaign Of 1960



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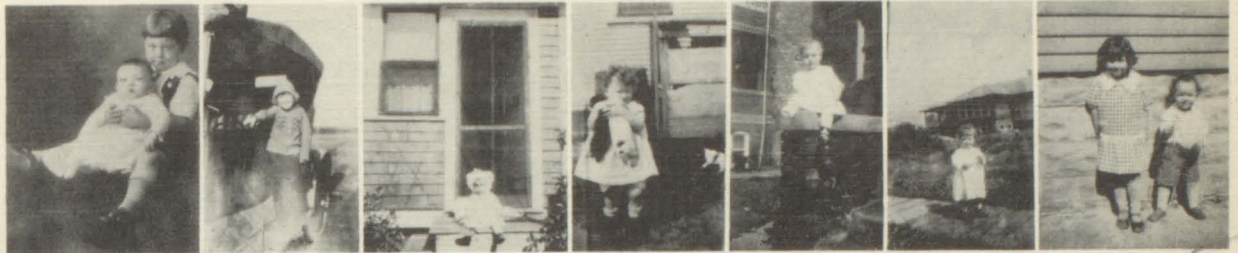
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- 1 Richard Woods
- 2 Nick McDonald
- 3 George Leshk
- 4 Cecilia Vigil
- 5 Julia Zelenick
- 6 Ann Magura
- 7 Paul Wallace
- 8 Marilyn Freiss
- 9 Helen Erkekedis
- 10 Betty Lou Woods
- 11 Eleanor Webdell
- 12 Barbara Smelter
- 13 Mary Jane Fisher

- 14 Dorothy Kolley
- 15 Hulda Taub
- 16 Iris Dipert
- Ellyn O'Brock
- 17 Eugene Romanowski
- 18 Clemens Peschke
- 19 Grace Weber
- 20 Alma Stevens
- 21 Bill Nichols
- 22 Catherine Lee
- 23 Louise Bruse
- 24 John Gastel
- 25 Dorothy Brkovich

- 26 Helen Zakutansky
- 27 Mildred Fife
- 28 Virginia Hurysz
- 29 James Taber
- 30 Victoria Poremski
- 31 Alma Stevens
- 32 Eugene Dalzotto
- 33 Ruth Kral
- 34 Shirley Finnerty
- 35 Gwendolyn Williamson
- 36 Donald Rafferty
- 37 Dorothy Reigert



# Publications



THE GARY POST TRIBUNE  
NEWS STAFF

Miss Janecek, sponsor; Nardine Bonomo; Alice Lundberg; Louise Bruse.

The Gary Post Tribune News Staff, pictured at the left, prepared all the articles for Tolleston during the year. Planning, interviewing, writing, and editing have made them appreciate the work of reporters and journalists.



CONTRIBUTORS TO THE OPEN  
HEARTH

Miss Bowles, sponsor

These students have contributed their original literary works to be printed in the Open Hearth column of the Gary Post Tribune.

"Freedom of speech in a Democracy does not imply freedom to hurt some one needlessly. It costs nothing to be kind, but how rich a little kindness makes the day!"

—FRANCES BOWLES



# TOLLY - TIMES

SPECIAL - EDITION

TOLLESTON SCHOOL

JUNE 3, 1942

## STAFF COMPLETES WORK



The above picture was taken at a recent meeting of the entire Tolly-Times Staff and sponsor, Mrs. Johnston, in order to get Last Minute Bulletins together.

The Editorial Staff and the sponsor are shown in upper right. They are John Fysh, advertising manager; Ann Someson, art editor; Mrs. Johnston, sponsor; Louise Bruse, Margaret Cornell, and Connie Grenis, co-editors.

### LAST MINUTE BULLETINS

These are some last minute bulletins received from the closing office of the Tolly-Times Staff.

The Snooper is recovering from the black eyes inflicted upon him by his many fans during the year.

The Mud-Shovelers have barely escaped the grave the rest of us have been digging for them.

The Rambling 'Round the Campus Department has now been closed because since spring is here everyone is doing his own rambling.

The Grade - School Chatter column is going to be revised next year because the eighth graders will be dignified freshmen.

The fashion column will probably be continued if the government does not need cotton for parachutes or something.

We could not get an editorial for this last edition because the editors had just removed the last ink spots from their hands-----and there is too much danger that the admirers of this paper might find a trace of their finger prints.

The reporter who wrote the sports page could not stand it any longer--

and now he is out playing baseball with everyone else.

Our cartoonist has disappeared; the few people who are worrying about her believe her to be in exile, necessary to her health and happiness.

Since our Production Staff has joined the Union, Tolly-Times will be dispensed with until September.

We have printed all the news, our scandal department is being censored, and the government needs paper; so we believe it would be patriotic and also more healthful to quit.

Bob Wojkovich, Sports Writer, is shown in the above right discussing articles with Mrs. Johnston and Connie Grenis.

Pages of the last issue were being "run - off" when the picture at the right was taken. The typists are Patsy Kelly, Pearl Schmidt, Agnes Powoznik, and Doris Nedberg; mimeoscope operator, Betty Lou Woods; mimeograph operators, Gloria Simi and Bettie Maris. Heads of publishing are Pearl Schmidt, Helen Erkeke-dis, and Mrs. Smith.

"THE FLOODLIGHT OF SCHOOL LIFE"



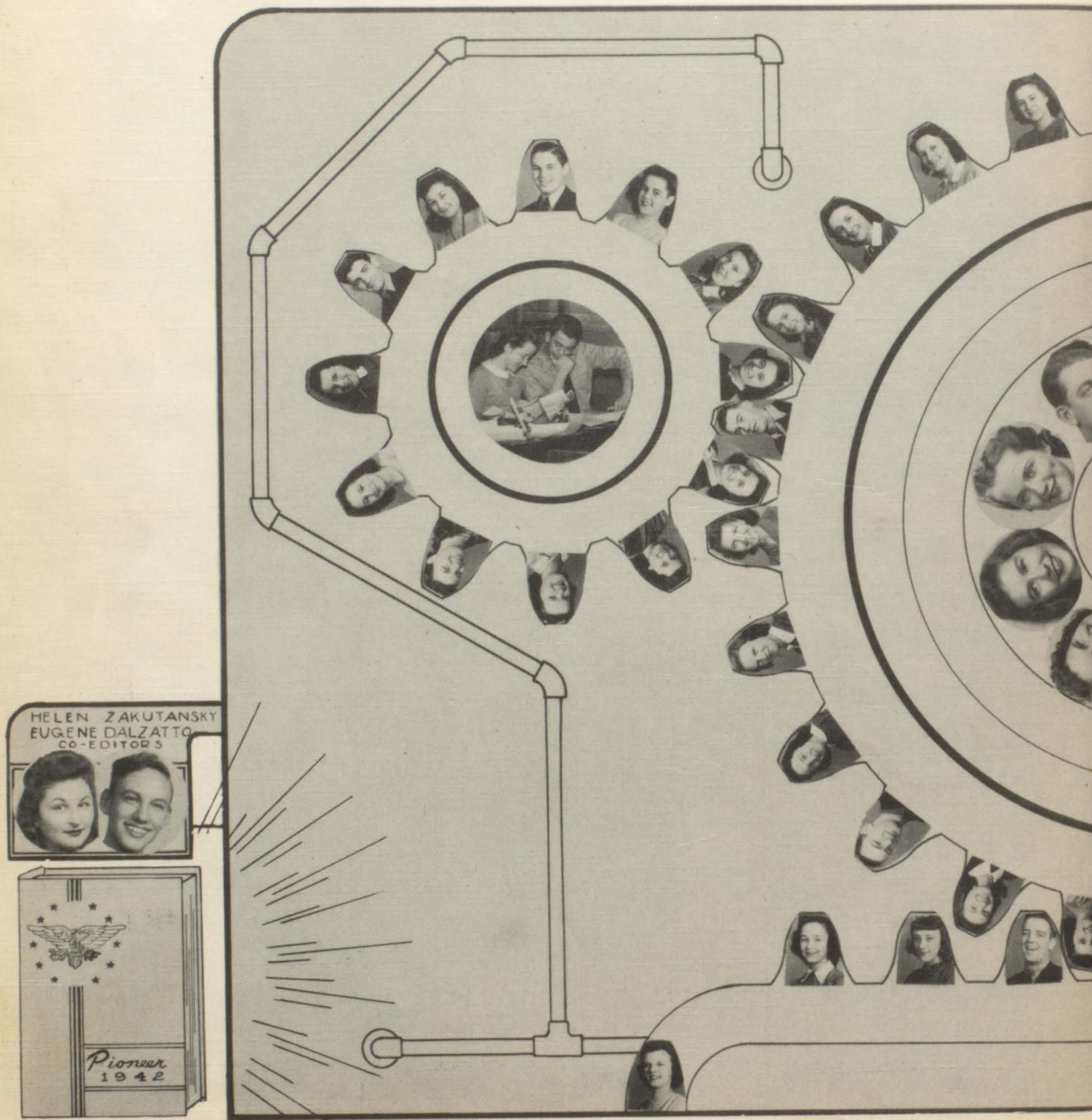
"Education is worth all of its trying moments."

—MILDRED JOHNSTON



# PIONEER

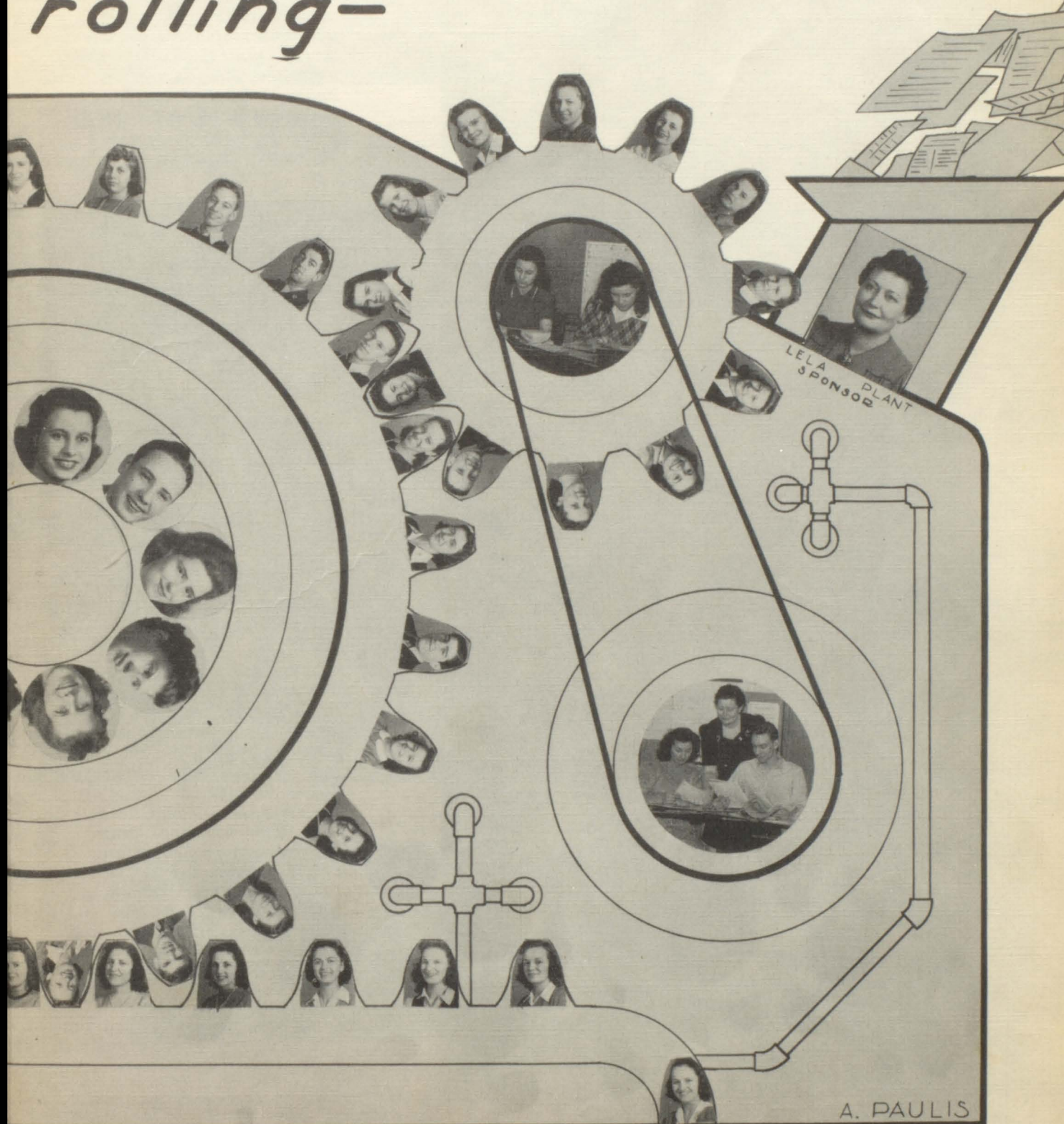
*"They kept them*





# STAFF

*rolling—*



A. PAULIS



## JUNIOR TEA

The girls of the Junior Class were hostesses at one of the loveliest social events of the year, the Junior Tea, at which they entertained the senior girls and their mothers on Sunday, March 15, from 3 to 5 o'clock in the Recreation Room of the Ambassador. Plans are in effect for the affair to become one of Tolleston's traditions.

Those in charge of the Tea were as follows: Lois Whitlow, general chairman; Florence Bucholtz, chairman of the invitation committee; Cecile Maresko, chairman of the table committee; Gladys Zaloudek, chairman of the committee to select the receiving line; Phyllis Deighton and Patty Grider, co-chairmen of the refreshment committee; Eleanor Wierzbak, chairman of the decorating committee; Helen Arras, chairman of the music committee; sophomore girls, group in charge of the kitchen; Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Standley, co-sponsors.

In the upper picture Mrs. Standley and Miss Hatala are pouring. The receiving line is pictured below the table scene. It includes Mrs. Whitlow, Mary Jane Fisher, Principal Standley, Miss Waggoner, Lois Whitlow, Mrs. Johnston, and Gladys Zaloudek. In the picture at the bottom of the page, honor guests, Superintendent and Mrs. Charles A. Lutz, Miss Bertha, and Miss Jancek, and a group of junior hostesses are seen.

"Educated citizens are essential to a democratic society. Especially in times of emergency do we need men and women who can think and act intelligently in preserving and defending that Democracy."

—MARY HATALA

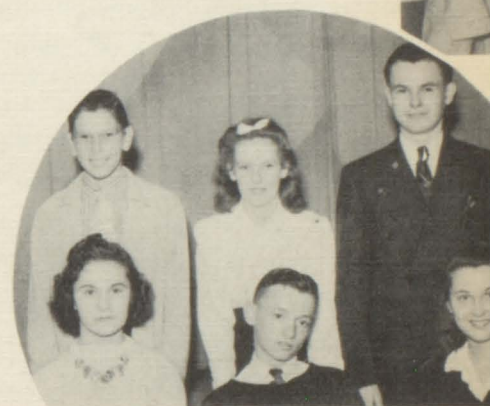




Social Club was enjoyed every Tuesday evening by high school students. It was sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Schroeder.



At the left are scenes of the Freshman Frolic which was held in December.



COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF THE FRESHMAN FROLIC



Pictured above and to the right are scenes of the Booster Club Dance. The athletes were the honor guests on this occasion. It was sponsored by Mrs. Johnston.





## DECLARATION OF APPRECIATION

"When in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for the *Class of 1942* to dissolve the educational bands which have connected them with one another, and to which the laws of nature and nature's God entitled them," a profound love and respect for their Alma Mater "requires that they should declare the causes which impel them" to say farewell with thanks and appreciation.

"We hold these truths to be self-evident"—

That to our Superintendent, Mr. Lutz, and the Board of Education goes our sincere and deepest gratitude for their governing and guidance. Our contacts with them were never direct, but we felt their presence as we pressed on toward our goal.

That to you, Mr. Standley, we raise our voices in appreciation, looking not only at you, but back of you into the past. We recall when we were "out of line" the fatherly talks you administered; the time we wanted another subject instead of mathematics, and how your hypothesis of comparative values led us aright. Your educational interest in Tolleston is truly genuine, and we shall profit by it in the years ahead of us.

That the faculty shall not have toiled over our educational weaknesses in vain. At times, perhaps we were troublesome and unruly, but we meant no harm. How we sat by the hour and tried to distinguish one chemical compound from another! We would sooner have slept in study hall than study, but on we went. We were getting an education. How we toiled over mathematics, English, and the sciences; but we labored on—always looking ahead. What kept us going? The unfaltering perseverance and inspiring influence of our teachers. We thank them for it. They shall not have tried in vain!

That we, the graduating class of 1942, have to the best of our ability equipped ourselves for life's great struggles which lie in wait. Whether we are to work in the steel mills, go into offices, or enter into the defense of our Flag, that which we have had in school shall have laid a foundation for that work. Long hours in R. O. T. C. have made us ready and able to walk circumspectly among our fellowmen. In all our classes we have been equipped with a vocabulary, a background, and a training, fitting us for any occasion. True happiness in life comes from having done one's work well—we shall be truly happy! We are bubbling with ambition and dreaming of the places we shall fill. We are the youth of America, and we are ready for Life!

That we, the graduating class of 1942, are not a normal class. By this I mean we are not graduating in normal times. Our United States is at war! Life to us may seem cloudy and vague, but we must not be discouraged or demoralized. These black days do not represent all of life. The other half of life is seen when the sun beams through. It will be only an element of time until the sun again will shine upon our shores. It falls upon us, the class of 1942, to help bring these cloudy days to an end. We can best accomplish this by being truly good Americans, by following our leaders, by carrying on in our industries, and by continuing our education.

That we shall forever cherish the Red, White, and Blue; and that we shall never forget the blue and white. March on, America!

—Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Paul Wallace,  
President of the Class of 1942.





This is Sidney Benson, a Tolleston youth—a typical American youth of 1942. He personifies the vision and the quest of America today.

What does he see? He sees the model airplanes which he has built according to specifications. He remembers every detail of the work involved toward their completion.

But he sees more than that. He sees hundreds of large, strong, silver-colored American planes, piloted by sure, well-trained men, winging their way toward tasks which must be done.

He sees much more than that. Above and beyond, he sees a God of Love and Justice, showing him the way toward a future not held by the hands of Tyranny. He resolves to follow that God and to do his part toward helping this nation "of the people, by the people, and for the people" establish Peace and Freedom throughout the world.



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